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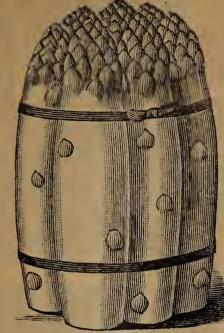
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Mammoth Silver King (true)	. 58	$\frac{2.10}{2.15}$	Early AcmeNew Stone	
True Prize Taker, genuine stock	.62	2.40		
Ohio Yellow GlobeCrystal White Wax Bermuda	$.62 \\ .60$	$2.15 \\ 2.10$	TURNIP.  Extra Early Purple Top Milan (true)	⅓ lb. 20
Australian Brown		1.60	Extra Early White Milan (new)	. 20
ONION SETS. ½ bu.	½ bu.	bu.	Extra Early Purple Top Munich  Early Purple Top, Strap Leaf	.15
Yellow	$\substack{2.30\\2.30}$	$\begin{array}{c} 4.50 \\ 4.50 \end{array}$	White Globe or Snowball.  Purple Top, White Globe	.15
White 1.30 Mixed 1.20	$\frac{2.50}{2.30}$	$\frac{4.75}{4.50}$	White Egg.	.15
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PARSNIPS. New Improved Market	1/4 lb. . 20	lb. .65	RUTABAGA OR SWEDISH TURNIP.	1/4 lb.
Hollow Crown, White Sugar or Long White	.18	.60	Improved American Yellow, Purple TopWhite Sweet American	.17
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PARSLEY.  Double Moss Curled	¼ lb. .20	lb. .65	CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS. For Florists and Others.	Trade
Fern Leaved.	.23	.70	½ oz.	Pkt.
PEPPER. oz.	1/4 lb.	lb.	Antirrhinum (Snap-Dragon) fine, mixed	.10
California Wonder	$\frac{1.45}{1.45}$		New Wilt Resistant, double mixed	.25
Worldbeater	.75		Aster—Finest Double Mixed	.10
Sunnybrook	$\frac{1.00}{.90}$	~~~~~	Alyssum, Sweet, very fine Little Gem	.05 .05
Bull Nose or Large Bell	.70		Candytuft—Mixed	.05
Mammoth Golden Queen	.80 .70		Carnation—Ger., extra choice double mixed	.20
Long Red Cayenne .25 Pimiento20	.80		Dianthus—Choicest double mixed20	.10
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PUMPKIN.  Connecticut Field	⅓ lb. .15	1b.	Pansy—Alneer's Prize Col., grandest	.25
King of the Mammoths	. 40	1.25	Petunia—Hybrida, finest single mixed	.10
Tennessee Sweet Potato	.25 $.17$	.90 .50	Phlox Drummondii, choicest mixed	.10
Cushaw or Cream	.25	.90	Sweet William, fine mixed Zinnia, choice double mixed	.05
Small Sugar, yellow	.20 .25	.65 .90	Zinnia, choice double mixed	.15

# ALNEER'S SELECTED VEGETABLE SEEDS



### Artichoke

The Globe Artichoke is cultivated for its flower heads, which are cooked like asparagus. Plants set in any good soil, with slight covering in winter, will remain in bearing several years. Green Globe, the standard variety. Per Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.



Asparagus

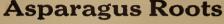
## **ASPARAGUS** Sow seeds early in the spring in well prepared rich ground in rows a foot apart. Set the plants out for a permanent bed the succeeding spring, in rows two by three feet, in very highly enriched ground. Mary Washington The latest development of rust resistant asparagus; larger than the original Washington, with very tight tips of fine quality. Pkt. 7c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

Washington Rust-Proof

This asparagus, which has been selected by the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., has proven to be nearly rust free. The shoots are thick and heavy. They are long and straight, with closely folded tips. The color is rich dark green, tinted darker at the tips. It is a heavy yielder of exceptionally fine flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

Columbian Mammoth White A fine new variety, wonderfully productive and robust. The White color is of great advantage. Has been thoroughly tried and is considered the best by all growers. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

Palmetto New, early and very large. The best and largest in cultivation and an enormous yielder. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, \(\frac{1}{4}\) lb. 20c, \(\frac{1}{2}\) lb. 35c, lb. 60c.



Washington Rust-Proof By mail, 100, \$1.40. By express or freight not prepaid, 1,000, \$8.00.

Mary Washington By mail, 100, \$1.40. By express or freight not prepaid, 1,000, \$8.50.

Palmetto By mail, 100, \$1.25. By express or freight not prepaid, 1,000, \$7.00.



Italian Green Sprouting

Italian Green Sprouting A new and distinct variety of the sprouting type. It forms a large head consisting of a cluster of bluish green flower-heads. When this central head is removed the plant develops numerous lateral sprouts, each of which produces a small head. These are cut, leaving about 6 inches of the stem, and are tied in bunches for market. Both stems and heads are cooked and served like cauliflower. Ready for market in about 90 days. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, ½ lb. \$1.00, ½ lb. \$1.90, lb. \$3.75.



Eureka Ever-Bearing Wax Beans



Alneer's Rust-Proof Golden Wax Dwarf Beans

## BEANS WAX-PODDED BUSH

The beans are very sensitive to frost and cold and should not be planted before ground has become warm and light. Plant three to five seeds in hills two and one-half by one foot in the row. Our packets of beans contain 2 oz.

Eureka Ever-Bearing Wax is the most valuable offered. Our illustration, made from nature, gives some idea of its wonderful productiveness and handsome pods, which are thick, fleshy, entirely stringless and of a very fine rich, buttery flavor. Their greatest value, however, is in their ever-bearing character, beginning early and continuing in great abundance all the season. Price per pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

Brittle, or Round Pod Kidney Wax is of superb quality, extreme earliness and great productiveness. The pods are handsome, round, extremely fleshy and are always stringless and tender. They measure about 7 in. and are slightly curved. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

Alneer's Rust-Proof Golden Wax Dwarf This most excellent bean is without doubt the best bush bean in existence. Has long waxy, yellow pods, seven to eight inches long and entirely stringless. As a snap bean it excels all others in tenderness and richness of flavor. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

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Wardwell's Kidney Wax Dwarf Hardy and productive. Pods long, broad, flat and of a delicate waxy yellow, brittle and entirely stringless. Early and heavy yielder. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Sure Crop Stringless Wax

Pods average 6 inches long, are flat, thick and meaty; plants are very thrifty and hardy, have thick leaves and are quite blight resisting. A very valuable sort, both for market and home garden. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Alneer's Crystal White Wax An exceptionally valuable new bean. Briefly described as a White Seeded Golden Wax. Vines robust and vigorous; the handsome broad pods are produced in great abundance and are very uniform in size and color, which is a very attractive light golden yellow; meaty and of superior quality. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c; 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Yosemite Mammoth Wax Bush
The pods are mammoth in size, of a handsome waxen color, and are very nearly all pulp, and are absolutely stringless. The monster pods average eight to ten inches in length and are the thickness of a man's finger. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

Pencil Pod Black Wax

This very handsome wax sort is medium early, fairly hardy and productive, best sort for home use and for near markets where highest quality is desired. The pods are long, five and one-half to six inches, straight, round, fleshy and of a bright yellow color. They are tender, absolutely stringless and are produced through a long season. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

## BEANS GREEN-POD

Tendergreen
This is a new variety which possesses many excellent qualities. The strictly stringless pods are deliciously tender, a quality responsible for their name. They are light green in color, round, and average 7 in. long. The strong and vigorous plants bear a heavy crop of the splendid pods which mature very early. The pods have an excellent flavor. We are convinced this splendid new variety will soon be grown most extensively on account of its many excellent features. Pkt. 6c, ½ lb. 18c, lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 62c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.40, postpaid





In ordering specify for Beans. Inoculator size for 1 bu. 50c, ½ bu. 35c, Garden size, 25c.



Tendergreen

Bountiful A green-pod Bush Bean which comes into bearing very early and continues throughout the season. Pods beautifully rich green, very thick, broad, long and uniform; meaty, tender, fine quality; stringless until quite old. A splendid market variety. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

Improved Extra Early Red Valentine

Very early and one of the best green podded sorts; continuous in the green state longer than most varieties. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Longfellow Stringless This new round green-podded bean is very early tender, exceedingly prolific, fine quality, stringless and handsome. Pods 7 to 8 inches long, straight and handsome, and of delicious flavor when cooked. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Burpee's Stringless Green Pod Very early; has long round meaty pods slightly curved, and is perfectly stringless, crisp and tender. Good cropper. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Giant Stringless Green Pod Pods average 5 inches long. Full and fleshy, extremely crisp and absolutely stringless; early and prolific. Fine for canning. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Full Measure A very desirable, green, round-podded variety with pods 6 to 7 inches long, which are solid, meaty, brittle and stringless. It is a little later than Stringless Green-Pod and is a splendid Bean for home or market use. A long-standing sort. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

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Stringless Green Pod

## SHELL BEANS



### Mexican or Prolific Tree

Very prolific, its habit of growth is tree-like and vigorous. Yields from thirty to fifty bushels to the acre; beans pearly white, fine for baking. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 45c, 5 lbs. 90c, 10 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.

Robust Pea or Improved White Navy A much improved strain of the popular small white baking bean. Very highly recommended on account of its heavy yielding and disease-resistant qualities. This strain of White Navy is unexcelled. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 45c, 5 lbs. 90c, 10 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.

## BEANS-POLE OR RUNNING

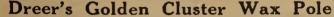
Old Homestead Pole (Kentucky Wonder) It is enormously productive, the pods hanging in great clusters from top to bottom of pole. It is entirely stringless and the pods are a silvery green color. The pods, though large, cook tender and melting. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, postpaid.

Kentucky Wonder Wax Pole Wonderfully productive, it being nothing unusual to pick over half a bushel from a single vine at one picking. The pods are from five to seven inches long, exceedingly rich, buttery, and finely flavored. They commence bearing their magnificent pods in great abundance when the vines are quite young, and continue to bear profusely the entire season. In great productiveness, fine quality and everything character they stand unequaled. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, postpaid.

White Creaseback

A popular early green-podded pole bean for snap shorts; of rapid growth and very productive. Pods grow in clusters and are from five to six inches in length, perfectly round, being deeply creased or saddle-backed. They are solidly fleshy, entirely stringless, and of fine quality. The dry seed is white, Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.30, 10 lbs. \$2.20, postpaid.

Lazy Wife's A bean that is unsurpassed for broad and thick, easy to gather. Stringless, rich and buttery when cooked. These beans are white and are unsurpassed as a shell bean. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, postpaid.



The pods are a beautiful golden yellow from six to eight inches long, borne profusely in clusters of four to six. Pkt. 7c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 19c, 1 lb. 34c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, postpaid.

### Red Speckled Cut Short or Corn Hill

This is the best sort to plant in hills of corn. is praised beyond measure by all who have tried it. The beans are excellent for shelling or snaps. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid.

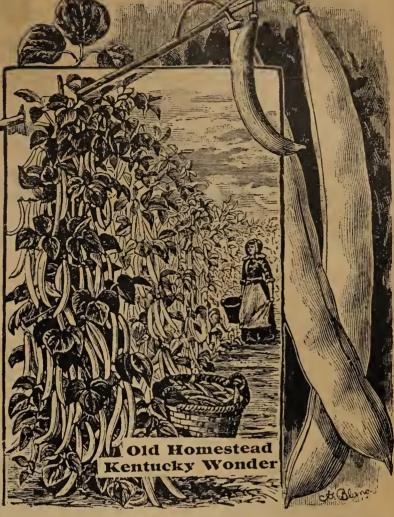
New Giant Prolific Wonder This bean is all its name implies, being one of the most prolific of all green podded pole beans. It is also a very sure cropper, even in bad seasons giving large crops when other sorts have been an entire failure. Pods are long, large and tender, exceptionally good either when other sorts have been an entire failure. Pods are long, large and tender, exceptionally good either for green snap or shelled beans. It can be planted at intervals up to the middle of July and will make a good crop. In fact, it is as early as the earliest bush sorts, and our customers will find it one of the earliest of all pole beans. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 19c, 1 lb. 34c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid. postpaid.

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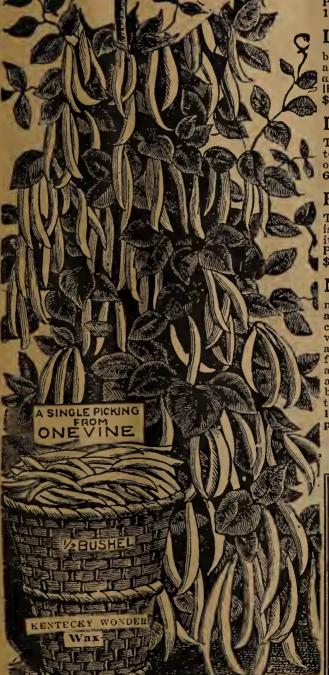
Dear Alneer Bros.

I want you to know I'm perfectly satisfied with your seed as I have ordered from you for years and always have the best garden in my community. Your fourteen day radishes beat anything I ever saw and we can always depend on good measure and strictly fresh and good seeds. Yours truly,

MRS. P. B. ELLING.



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## Lima Beans **DWARF OR BUSH**

Burpee's Improved Bush Lima Is a perfect bush form of the true luscious Lima Bean; an immense yielder; each bush bears 50 to 200 of the large, handsome pods well filled with large beans which are identical in size and in luscious flavor with the well known pole Lima. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 37c, 2 lbs. 68c, 5 lbs. \$1.45, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

Dreer's Bush Lima It is of vigorous bushy habit, from 1½ to 2 feet high; pods in great abundance; thick, sweet, succulent. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 70c, 5 lbs. \$1.45, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.

Henderson's New Bush Lima

The Henderson's New Bush Lima

Bush Lima grows without the aid of stakes or poles in the compact bush form from 15 to 18 inches high, and produces enormous crops of delicious Lima Beans. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 16c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 55c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.10, prepaid.

Fordhook Bush Lima is altogether unique. Of strong, erect, true bush-like growth, the bushes average 20 to 30 inches in height by 20 to 24 inches across the top. The foliage is of heavy texture and very dark green in color; the pods are borne in "clusters" of from 4 to 8. The pods resemble those of the Dreer's Bush Lima, average size, measuring from 4 to 5½ inches long, about 1¼ inches wide, by as much as ¾ inch thick. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 70c, 5 lbs. \$1.45, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.



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Burpee's Improved Bush Lima Beans

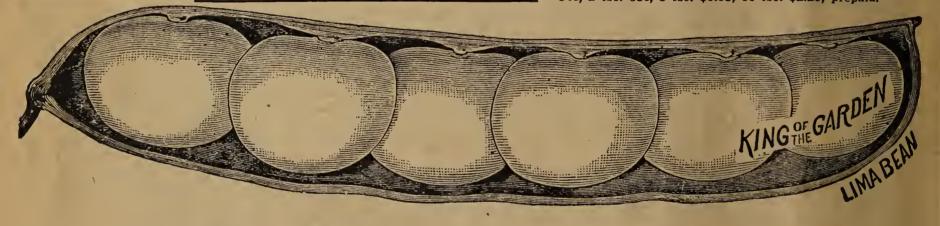
### POLE LIMAS

Ford's Mammoth Podded Lima The pods of this grand Lima bean grow seven to eight inches long, produced in clusters of three and four, and contain from five to seven large beans per pod of the most excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 34c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, prepaid.

King of the Garden Lima Pole New and much more productive than the common large Lima, very prolific, producing continually to the end of the season; unsurpassed in quality. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 34c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, prepaid.

Dreer's Improved Lima Pole

Matures early.
extra fine quality.
large yielder, an excellent bean. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 19c, 1 lb.
34c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.20, prepaid.



## **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

Brussels Sprouts Resembles cabbage, excellent fine flavor. Sow seeds in April. The small heads or sprouts are much improved by frost. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 75c.



TRUE GEORGIA COLLARDS.

Chicory

Collards

Georgia or Creole This is the

tensively used in the South. Forms a large, open head, or a mass of leaves on a tall stem. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

The leaves are used as salads with oil and vinegar, either in their natural state or blanched. Roots are also used to mix with or to be substituted for coffee. Large Rooted Magdeburgh. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c.



## **HERBS**

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nise5c		Coriander		
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weet Marjoram5c		Horehound		
araway5c		Hyssop		
avender5c		Rue		
ormwood5c hyme, broad leaved Eng. 5c		Rosemary		
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York Improved Spineless Egg Plant

## **EGG PLANT**

A tender plant. Sow in hotbed or small box in the house, transplant in as warm a place in the garden as you have, after settled warm weather.

### New York Improved Spineless The leading market variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10.

Black Beauty Large, handsome fruit, jet black. Pkt. 5c, oz. fruit. 30c, ½ lb. \$1.10.

White Pearl The fruit is pure creamy white, beautiful in shape, and as large or larger than the purple; fine grained; good boiled or fried. Pkt. 10c.



## **VINE PEACH** or Mango Melon

After ripe a short time they become mellow; for use in any shape. Fine for pickles, pies, preserves, etc. Good fried in butter when green. Desirable where fruit is scarce. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.



## **MUSHROOM**

Can be easily grown everywhere and at all seasons, and it is one of the most profitable crops to grow. We can always furnish fresh mushroom spawn.

English Mushroom Spawn It comes pressed bricks weighing about 20 ounces. These ed bricks weighing about 20 ounces. These are broken into pieces the size of a walnut and put into the bed eight inches apart each way. Price per brick, 35c, postpaid.



A pungent salad. Sow thickly in rows six inches apart, and cut when about two inches high.

White London Pkt. 5c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30c, lb. 50c. Chinese New Giant

Also called "Southern curled." An excellent new sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

## RHUBARB



RHUBARB or Pie Plant

Linnaeus Is early, large and tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 38c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 70c, lb. \$1.25.

Victoria Is very large. Later than the Linnaeus. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 38c, ½ lb. 70c. lb. \$1.25.



The Leeks are very hardy and easily cultivated. They succeed best in light and well enriched soil. Sow early in drills one foot apart.

### Large American Flag

A favorite variety is of strong and vigorous growth. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb. 80c, lb. \$1.40.

I have bought seeds from you for the last 30 years and have always found them the best that grows.

Yours truly,

W. A. CABLE.



## **OKRA** or **GUMBO**

### Improved Dwarf Green

Early and productive. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

Long Green Long pods. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

White Velvet Very distinct in appearance. Unlike other varieties, the pods are not ridged, but perfectly round, smooth of an attractive white velvety appearance, and superior flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

## KALE OR BORECOL



Sow in beds from middle of April to May; transplant and treat the same as cab-

Vienna Kohl Rabi

KOHL

RABI

Intermediate between cabbage and turnip. Sow in open ground in May or June in rows 18 inches apart; thin to one foot.

Early White

Vienna Flesh white and tender. Best market sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 45c, lb. \$1.50.

Purple 15c, 1/4 lb.

Vienna 45c.

Pkt. 5c, oz.

Large

### Green Curled Scotch

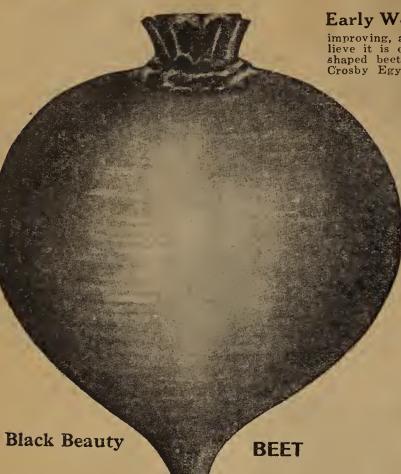
Hardy, very finely fringed. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

## **Dwarf Curled Green**

Dwarf, very finely fringed. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

## BEETS

The soil best adapted for the beet is rich deep loam. Sow in drills 15 inches apart, one inch deep, and thin to six inches. For early, sow as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring; for main and autumn use, about the 5th of May. Sow the mangels in drills two feet apart and thin to 15 inches in the row.



Your Gardening Friends

Kindly send us on back of order sheet the names and addresses of your neigh. bors or friends who plant a gar-den. We den. will bе mighty glad to mail them a Catalog free. Thank you.



Black Beauty

In this variety we combine a very dark red color, round root, and earliness, which make it very desirable. It is uniformly perfect. In fact it is one of the smoothest beets on the market. The flesh is a rich dark blood-red color, tender, crisp, and deliciously sweet, besides having a small short top, also valuable for late sowing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

Crosby's Improved Egyptian

A very early, superior variety. Has few small tops and very small taproot. Takes on its turnip shape in early stages of growth, making it much preferred for both first early crop and late sowing. Skin is dark red; flesh somewhat lighter. After boiling, it has a uniform bright red color and a delicious flavor.

45 days. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, lb. 80c.

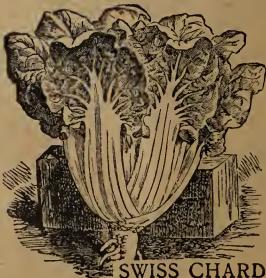
Mitchell's Perfected Dark Red
ities are much superior to any other variety, sweet and juicy even after it has lost its leaves from age. It is the earliest Dark Red Short Top Turnip Beet in sultivation. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 65c.



Alneer's New Dark Crimson Globe Are of a neat turnip shape with smooth dark red skin. The flesh is of a very dark crimson blood red, fine grained, of finest quality. When cooked it is a dark blood-red color. Is very early with small tops. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb 25c, 1/2 lb. 42c, lb. 80c.



## **SWISS CHARD**



## Swiss Chard, Giant

Lucullus One of the largest and best variety of Swiss Chard. Seed sown early in the Spring will produce plants quickly from which the thick light-colored midribs of the leaves may be cut down to the ground. New growth will quickly succeed it which may in turn be gathered. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

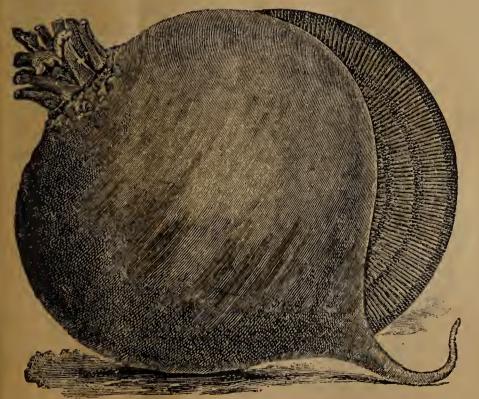
### Swiss Chard or Silver

Beet Sometimes called Sea Kale Beets. Excellent for greens. This does not make edible roots like the regular garden beets, but is grown for the broad white leaf-stalks, which are bunched and cooked in the same manner as asparagus, and make a delicious summer vegetable. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c.



Early Eclipse New and very early. Roots smooth, of perfect round shape, beautiful red skin and flesh, very fine grained; the best early market beet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 30c, lb. 55c.

Extra Early Dark Red Egyptian One of the earliest beets in cultivation; a leading market sort, color deep red; fine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c.



Extra Early Blood Turnip Beet

Extra Early Blood Turnip
One of the best varieties grown for main crop. The roots are round, very smooth, of good marketable size, and for table use no variety can exceed it in fine quality. The skin is deep blood red; the flesh is also dark red and is sweet and tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c.

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Alneer's Ex. Early Columbia
The roots are a neat turnip shape with smooth skin and growing as quickly as the Egyptian, compared with such famous sorts as Edmands and Eclipse, the Columbia has proved earlier. Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 55c.

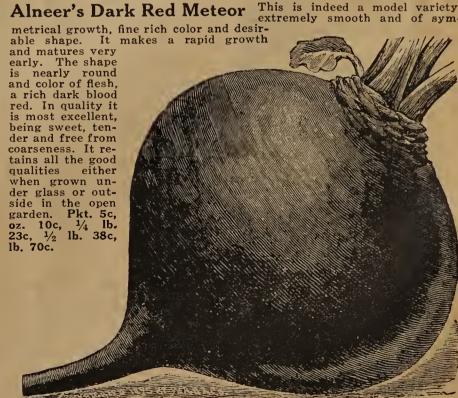
Detroit Dark Red
One of the very best red turnip shaped varieties. Has small upright growing tops, splendid shape and the color of the skin is dark blood red, the flesh is deep bright red. Very crisp, tender and sweet; matures early, holds a long time in condition for use, and produces a very uniform crop in shape. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 85c.

Market Gardeners' (Half-long)

This variety is an ideal "Market Gardeners'"

Beet, with small tap-root. When cooked they are dark red, fine grain and unsurpassed in quality. One sowing only is necessary to produce beets for main crop and winter use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

Alneer's Dark Red Meteor This is indeed a model variety, extremely smooth and of sym-



Alneer's Dark Red Meteor Beet

MANGELS and SUGAR BEETS

FOR STOCK

Giant Half Sugar Mangel

A cross between the Mammoth Long Red and Sugar Beet, and for our own feeding we have found it superior to either. Being sweeter, both cattle and hogs relish them greatly.

Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, 1/4 lb. 15c, 1/2 lb. 25c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.95.

Alneer's Mammoth Long Red Mangel Wurtzel This variety is more generally grown for stock. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.95.

Golden Tankard

Very valuable and sweet variety; bright yellow color. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, ½ lb. 25c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.95.

Yellow Globe Mangel Wurtzel

This popular variety is remarkable for its immense size, beautiful shape, small top, clear skin, and single tap-root, as well as for its most excellent feeding qualities, inclined to be shallow, this is the variety to grow to produce the largest yield. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, ½ lb. 25c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.90.

Klein Wanzleben Sugar Is fast becoming the leading sugar beet, as it contains a larger per cent of sugar than other sorts. Pkt. 4c, oz. 7c, 1/4 lb. 18c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c, 5 lbs. \$2.15.

White Sugar Attains a large size; is very sweet. Pkt. 4c, oz. 7c, 1/4 lb. 18c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c, 5 lbs. \$2.15.



**CORN SALAD** 

Sometimes called Fetticus. Used as a salad like lettuce or cooked like spinach. Treat like lettuce except that it may be planted closer, as it is smaller. It is hardy.

Large Round Leaved Price, pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 22c, lb. 75c.



CORN SALAD.

## **CARROTS**

Early Coreless The greatest feature of this new variety is the enfound in all other Carrots. It is of most delicious quality and owing to the fine texture of the red flesh and its tender, delicate flavor, is called the sweetest of all Carrots by all who tasted same. Matures about two weeks ahead of all other half long sorts, and equally as productive. Measures 6 to 7 inches in length. Pkt. 6c, oz. 14c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.15.

Guerande or Oxheart This handsome carrot equals if not surpasses any other variety in shape; is very early, excellent quality and a very heavy cropper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 27c, 1/2 lb. 48c, lb. 90c.



Victoria

This is the largest and heaviest cropping carrot of the yellow sorts. It is a heavy cropper on all soils, of excellent quality, possessing high feeding properties, Pkt. 5c, oz. 9c, ½ lb. 27c, ½ lb. 45c, lb. 85c.

Mastodon The heaviest cropping carrot grown. The flesh is white, crisp, solid and very sweet in flavor. The roots are short and heavy at the shoulder. Fkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

Farmers should grow carrots for stock feeding. They are easily grown and make excellent feed.



Alneer's Mangel Beet

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Oxheart or Guerande



New

Beauty

Carrots thrive best in warm, light soil, enriched with well rotted manure. Sow as early in the spring as the ground can be prepared, in drills 15 inches apart; cover the seeds about one-half inch deep, and thin to from 3 to 5 inches in the row. In field culture when grown for horses and cattle, the rows should be two feet apart, so that the crop can be worked with horse and cultivator.

Imperator A recent introduction. An outstanding type bred for market garden use, and for shipping. Tops medium, but strong enough for good bunching. Roots have sloping shoulders, smooth, deep rich orange; uniformly tapered to a semi-blunt end. Flesh rich orange color, extending to center of root, with indistinct core; fine grained, tender and of fine quality. 7 to 8½ inches long. Pkt. 7c, oz. 14c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.15.

Half Long Red Nantes A variety intermediate between the early and long orange varieties; a fine sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 95c.

Danver's Orange (Half-Long) Valuable sort. The standard sort; midway between Long Orange and Early Horn, color bright orange yellow, growing very smooth and handsome, yielding from 20 to 25 tons to the acre. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 28c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 95c.

Chantenay or Model These carrots have attained such a uniformity that they are almost duplicates of each other. Very productive, always smooth and fine in texture. The flesh is of a beautiful deep golden orange. Tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 28c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 95c.



Danver's Half-Long

Half Long Nantes Carrot

Native Carioteness Perfect

Alneer's Market Gardeners' Perfect The root is s mooth, uniform and handsome, entirely free from core with sweet and tender flesh. It never becomes stringy. Highly recommended both for table use and stock feeding, and especially desirable for market gardeners and amateurs who wish to grow something choice in quality. Pkt. 6c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$100

Long Orange Improved
Roots of large size, equally adapted to gardening or farm culture. A standard sort and very fine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 28c, 1/2 lb. 47c, lb. 85c.

Machipongo, Va., Feb. 27, 1933.

Am sorry to send you such a small order, but we have just a small place in our back yard to grow vegetables. We like your seeds very, very much. I believe every seed comes up that we plant. I wrote a friend in West Virginia two years ago how well we liked your seeds and for her to try them. Her answer was: Am well acquainted with Alneer's seeds, have been using them for years. Hope to give you a larger order next time. MRS. T. J. NOTTINGHAM.

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## **CABBAGE**

For early use, sow seeds in hot beds about the 1st of March; transplant as early as possible in the ground about 18 inches to 2 feet apart in very highly enriched soil. For late and winter use, sow seeds in open ground about May 1st to 15th. Plants are usually set in June or July, at a distance of 3 feet between rows and 2½ feet between the plants.

### Extra Selected Early Jersey

Wakefield The earliest and best cabbage in cultivation. Our seed is direct from originators of the well-known Jersey Wakefield Cabbage. This strain has been highly prized for its purity and sure heading qualities, heads being very large with small outside foliage. There is none better. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.00.

Alneer's Faultless It is possessed of earliness, large size, compactness and will produce more salable heads to the acre than any other stock we know of. Good keeper and is truly "faultless" in every way. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

All Season's

This excellent cabbage, as its name indicates, is good for all seasons and makes both a splendid early and late variety. It is remarkably sure for heading and makes a large hard head of superior quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 45c, ½ lb. 85c, lb. \$1.60.

Wisconsin All Season's Dispersion of

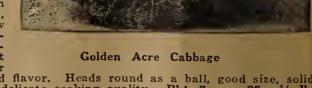
# ease Resistant A new strain of the medium early All Seasons type which can be safely used in yellows-infected soil. Pkt. 6c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 70c, 1/2 lb. \$1.25, lb. \$2.40.



Golden Acre
ing; heads are as round as a ball, measuring when fully matured, about 9 inches in diameter, the average weight of which is 5 pounds; hard, solid and very uniform. Heads mature in about 70 days and practically all at the one time—our selected stock of this cabbage is unexcelled for market and home use. Pkt. 8c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 85c, 1/2 lb. \$1.60, lb. \$3.00.

Danish Ball-Head

stock grown in Denmark. The variety known as Ball-Head has been selected and perfected for more than 50 years by the Danish gardeners, who prize it so highly that they grow it almost exclusively for winter cabbage, and annually export large quantities to London and other ports. It will stand long journeys and keep far into spring, and is of most rich mild flavor. Heads round as a ball, good size, solid and very fine grained, of extremely delicate cooking quality. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.25, lb. \$2.40.



Amager or Short-Stemmed Danish Ball-Head

Ball-Head Cabbage. The heads are hard and very solid. They average a little larger and heavier. The inner leaves are blanched almost pure white, are of sweet flavor, crisp and tender. It is less liable to blight and shows vigorous growth even in the hot summer. Preferred by some to the long stemmed. They are splendid keepers. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.25, lb. \$2.40.



Danish Ball-Head Cabbage



All Season's Cabbage



Amager or Short-Stemmed Danish Ball-Head Cabbage



Houser

The striking engraving made from a photograph gives a good idea of the remarkably round, large head. The heads are round and deep through, and very solid and hard, fine grained and excellent keeper. Pkt. 6c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 60c, ½ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$1.75.



Copenhagen Market

A valuable new, early cabbage, producing round, hard heads very early in the season. It is the most popular early cabbage in the markets of Copenhagen. Market gardeners here who tried it for the first time last season are simply crazy about it on account of its extreme earliness and solid ten pound heads, of excellent quality. The plants are short stemmed; light green colored leaves. It is a vigorous grower and yielder. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.20, lb. \$2.25.



Alneer's Safe Crop.

### Alneer's Safe Crop

It is a large late strain of market gardener's cabbage. It is a sure header. The heads are of a large size, and firm, with but few outside leaves; stems short, foliage compact and of a beautiful green color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 50c, 1/2 lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75. 1/2 lb \$1.75.



Burpee's All Head Cabbage

Burpee's All Head Early

The deep, flat heads are remarkably solid and uniform in color, as well as size and shape. Quality the best, being very tender, the result of rapid growth. All head early; is all that can be desired for earliness; also valuable for late or winter cabbage. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb. 85c, lb. \$1.60.



Alneer's Earliest of all Cabbage

I find your seeds A No. 1 and take great

pleasure in recommending you to my neighbors. J. J. SMITH.

liest market crop. All mar-

crop. All market gardeners should plant some for very early use. Pkt. 6c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 60c, 1/2 lb. \$1.00, lb. \$1.75.



**Marion Market** 

Marion Market

Yellow resistant. This Cabbage resembles Copenhagen Market but matures a few days later and makes a much larger plant. Its most distinguishing feature is its complete resistance to Cabbage yellows and it is, therefore, valuable for land where "yellows-resistant" Cabbage is needed. The heads are almost round and very solid. It is a hardy, highly bred strain, grown exclusively for kraut and long-distance shipping. It has produced as much as 26 tons per acre. Pkt. 7c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00, 1/2 lb. \$1.65, lb. \$3.20.



Alneer's Excelsior Large, Late, Flat Dutch Cabbage

Alneer's Excelsior Large, Late, Flat Dutch An improved and superior strain of the late Flat Dutch variety. Has large, solid heads, is white, tender and very fine grained. A sure header and an excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 50c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

Burpee's Sure Head A fine winter sort, has large fine, solid heads, with few outer leaves and a sure header. An excellent late winter sort. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb. 85c, lb. \$1.60.

American Drumhead Savoy

The largest heading of the Savoy sorts. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 50c, 1/2 lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

Mammoth Rock Red Used for pickling. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 50c, 1/2 lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

Alneer's Short Stem Drumhead

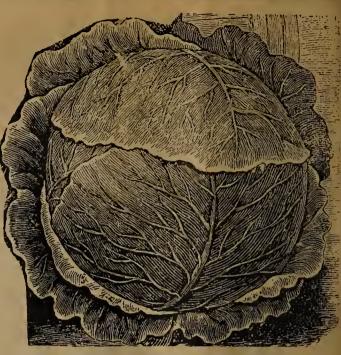
Strains, ripening earlier, with very short stalk or stem, forming larger and thicker heads of very fine quality, and the best of keepers. Very valuable for market gardeners. It is a sure header. 98 large solid heads from every 100 plants. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 45c, ½ lb. 85c,



Alneer's Winter King Cabbage

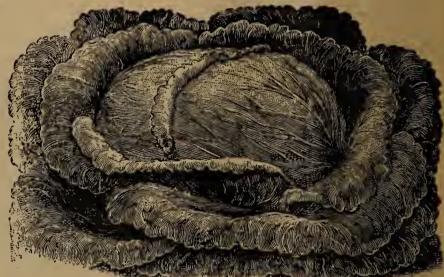
Alneer's Winter King

This variety is the most magnificent strain of Late Flat Dutch Cabbage known today. By a persistent selection year after year it has been brought to a state of perfection rarely if ever attained elsewhere. The large, solid heads, low, short stems, absence of useless foliage, uniformity of size and shape, reliability for heading, are combined in this cabbage. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 60c, ½ lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.00.



Disease Resistant Wisconsin No. 8 Hollander

Disease Resistant Wisconsin No. 8
Hollander A "yellow" resistant strain of cabbage developed out of our stock of Hollander under the direction of Dr. L. R. Jones of the University of Wisconsin. At Racine, Wisconsin, where for several years many of the commercial crops of cabbage were badly infected or entirely destroyed by the disease called the yellows, this strain has proven to be practically immune from attack. Pkt. 7c, oz. 30c, ½ lb. \$1.00, ½ lb. \$1.65, lb. \$3.20.



Alneer's Short Stem Drumhead Cabbage



Super Snowball Cauliflower

A larger, earlier and better Snowball Cauliflower!

This is the finest early cauliflower we have ever seen. The plants are most attractive, showing a uniformity of size, shape, and type that is most impressive. Of compact growth, with ample, rich green foliage which serves as a protection for the pure white, smooth curd. Presents a most attractive appearance before and after cooking. Pkt. 20c, ½ oz. \$1.50, oz. \$2.75, ½ lb. \$8.75.

## **CAULIFLOWER**

Cauliflower, to do well, requires a deep, rich, moist soil. Cultivate and treat same as cabbage. Sow seeds as for cabbage.

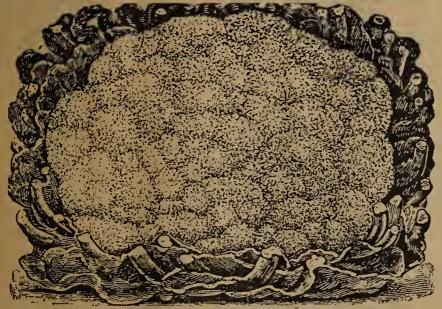
For an early crop start the seed indoors and set in the open about the end of April. For a main or fall crop, seed should be sown from June 1 to July 1 and the young plants set out during the latter part of July.



Alneer's Earliest Sure-Head Snowball Cauliflower

Alneer's Earliest Sure-head Snowball A grand new fine grown and perfected by the most careful growers of cauliflower in Denmark. It is early, every plant sure to make a perfect nice white head. Fine grained and of very best quality. It is the peer of all cauliflowers. Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. \$1.30, oz. \$2.50,

Henderson's Early Snowball (True) A very early dwarf variety, producing fine white heads of best quality, every plant forming a perfect head a week earlier than any other sort. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 90c, oz. \$1.75.



## DRY WEATHER CAULIFLOWER

Danish Dry Weather In Danish Dry Weather Cauliflower we have a strain that is particularly adapted for growing away from water, and will succeed where others fail. It makes fine, large, solid heads. The Danish Dry Weather Cauliflower can even be grown in such dry-weather states as Arizona. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 80c, oz. \$1.50.

Extra Early Paris A well-known early good variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 75c.

Le Normand's Short Stemmed

A large late variety with well formed heads. Pkt. 5c, oz. 60c.

Extra Selected Early Dwarf Erfurt

One of the very best in cultivation; sure to head. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 80c, oz. \$1.50.

### GARDEN HUCKLEBERRY



Garden Huckleberry

Garden Huckleberry-Wonderberry A wonderful, prolific plant needing same culture as tomatoes. When ripe the berries are about one inch in diameter, of shining black color. They make delicious pies, preserves and jam. Fruit is non-edible when not fully ripened. Pkt. 10c, oz. 50c, postpaid.

## CELERY CABBAGE

Pe-Tsai Chinese or Celery Cabbage has attained great popularity in the last two years. One grower writes: "This fall there was a vegetable called Celery Cabbage sold on our market and people went crazy over it." Pe-Tsai produces beautifully crisp, celery-like heads that blanch easily and that resemble a giant Cos Lettuce. As a salad it rivals the finest lettuce, while cooked like cabbage or spinach it makes a delightful "greens." Early sowing is not recommended, as during hot weather it has a tendency to run to seed without heading. Sow seed, in any good soil, the first of August. to seed without heading. Sow seed, in any good soil, the first of August, making rows 24 to 36 inches apart and thinning to 15 inches apart in the row. Pe-Tsai will not stand frost. Pkt. 6c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 75c.





## CRESS or Peppergrass

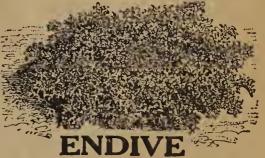
Extra Curled Very fine. 7c, 1/4 lb. 18c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

Water Cress The pleasant and peculiar flavor of the Water Cress causes it to be highly esteemed for table use. Its culture can be carried on anywhere where there is sufficient supply of fresh, pure water. It can also be grown out of water in tubs of good soil kept in a very shady place, if watered occasionally. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c.

## Dandelion

Dandelion as a money crop is fast becoming the favorite spring green in the market.

Thick Leaved
An improvement on the common sort, the leaves being double the size. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c.



One of the best salads for fall and winter

Green Curled Very hardy, leaves dark green. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. 90c.

French Moss Curled Most beaucurled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

### Broad Leaved Batavian

The broad, thick, slightly wrinkled leaves form a large head which is preferred for stews and soups. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. 90c.

## **OUR EXPERIENCE IS YOUR PROTECTION**



## **CELERY**

Golden Self-Blanching (True Paris Golden) Grows to a very very stocky and robust. The stalks grow vigorously, with large ribs thickly and closely set. It is entirely self-blanching; the heart is beautiful golden yellow, large, crisp and solid. Unlike other self-blanching varieties, is an extra good keeper; will keep all winter. Flavor fine and sweet. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. \$1.55, lb. \$3.00.

New Giant Pascal This remarkable new variety is a selection thoroughly established from our Golden Self-Blanching. It partakes of the best qualities of that variety; an excellent keeper; of fine nutty flavor. Grows about two feet high, stalks very broad, thick and crisp. Bleaches with but light "earthing up." The heart is golden yellow, very full and attractive in appearance. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 70c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

Silver Self-Blanching (Snow White) This new celery is described as being a Golden Self-Blanching with white plume coloring, possessing the robust, sturdy, compact habit of Golden Self-Blanching, the stalks being even thicker, more solid and heavy with immense solid heart, brittle, crisp and tender, of delightful rich flavor. Color is beautiful silver white. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

Henderson's White Plume

The White Plume is naturally white, so that by drawing the earth up against the plant and pressing it together with the hands and again drawing up the soil that has been squeezed against the celery in its place, the work of bleaching is completed The earliest celery in cultivation. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 70c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.



Improved Golden Heart One of the best; heart of beautiful golden color. When blanched the heart, which is large and full, is of a waxy golden yellow. Fine flavor, excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 70c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50

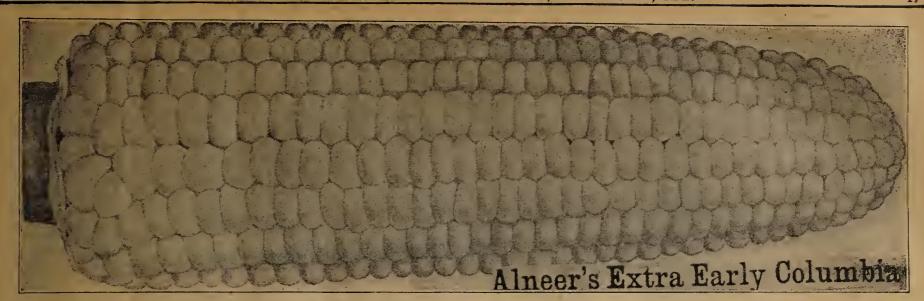
Christmas Queen This is without a doubt the most valuable variety of celery for winter and spring use ever introduced. The plant is beautiful in appearance, of close habit and compact growth, and blanches to a beautiful cream white. Ribs perfectly solid, crisp and of a delicious nutty flavor, and will keep longer than any other variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.



Golden Plume-An Outstanding New Variety of Celery

Golden Plume The plants are of strong growth and produce thick and heavy stalks with a well-blanched solid heart. It is considered by many gardeners the best early Celery. Early and quite resistant to blight and rot. A very desirable variety with good storing qualities; of excellet crisp and nutty flavor. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10.

Celeriac Large Prague or Turnip Rooted Celery Has turnip shaped roots. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, 1/4

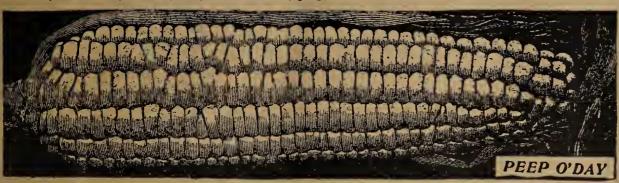


SWEET CORN Corn does best in moderately rich soil; do not plant before settled warm weather. The early more dwarf varieties should be planted 2 by 3 feet apart, the larger and later kinds 4 by 5 feet apart in hills, 4 to 6 seeds in a hill. Our packets contain 2 full ounces.

Alneer's Extra Early Columbia

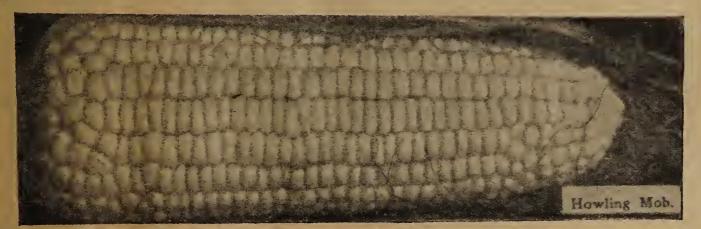
acquisition of rare value. This new and valuable variety of Sweet or Sugar Corn has eclipsed all other sorts. The Extra Early Columbia is as-early as the Cory and nearly twice as large, being 12-rowed and of great length. The color is a beautiful creamy white. In quality, sweetness and flavor it is superior to any early sort known, and is also a heavy yielder. Alneer's Extra Early Columbia corn is the best and largest early sweet corn ever offered. Price per pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 38c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.50, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.

Golden Sunshine
The earliest of the Golden Bantam Type, maturing a week to ten days earlier than that variety. More dwarf in habit than Bantam, with ears 6½ in. long. Containing 12 rows of broad, yellow, sweet grains. Especially desirable for its extreme earliness. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.



Peep o'Day Sweet Corn

A new corn, said to be extra early—hence the name Peep o'Day, of surpassing sweetness for so early a sort. Wonderfully productive, 2 and 3 ears to each stalk. Height, 4 to 5 feet. Price, pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

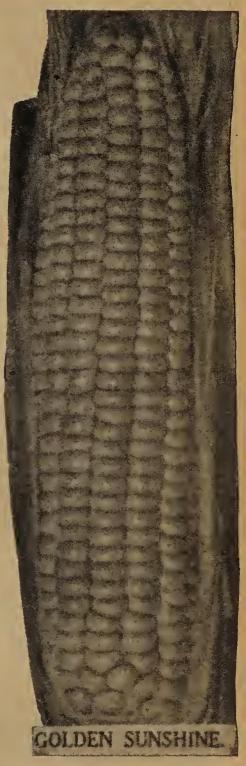


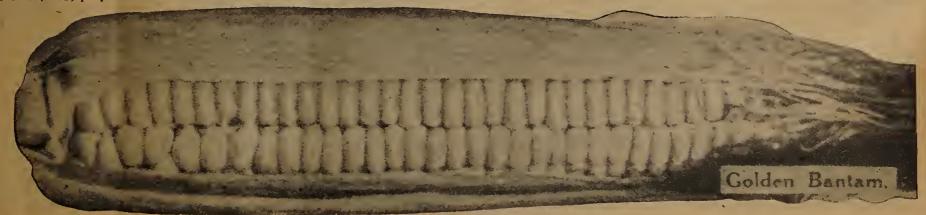
Howling Mob The ears measure 7 to 9 inches in length with 12 or 14 rows of good-sized pearly-white grains. Has large white grains and so sweet that it should be compared only with the second early sorts. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

Early Golden Bantam

Of extreme hardiness, and can be planted earlier than any other true sweet corn, and will then produce the earliest supply of ears for the table. The stalks grow from 3½ to 4 feet in height and produce one or two good ears on each stalk. The ears are 5 to 6 inches in length; the grains, when ears are ready for use, are a bright golden yellow. The flavor is exceptionally rich and sugary, "the sweetest of all."

Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 38c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs, \$1.50, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.







## SWEET CORN

Golden Giant A cross between Golden Bantam and Howling Mob and is one of the few new yellow corns to retain the high quality of its golden parent. In season between Golden Bantam and Bantam Evergreen, of medium growth, with ears 8 inches long, 16 to 18 rowed. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 38c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.50, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.

Extra Early Cory One of the earliest varieties of sweet corn known. Has a large ear, considering the size of the stalk, small cob well filled with broad grains. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

Early Minnesota Very early, most excellent variety; ears good size and uniform. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

Kendel's Early Giant

As early as Minnesota Crosby's; the ears measure 8 to 10 inches long with 10 to 12 rows of kernels, pure white, sweet and tender. It comes into use with the standard early sorts with much larger ears. It is an excellent new sort. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.65, prepaid.

Black Mexican

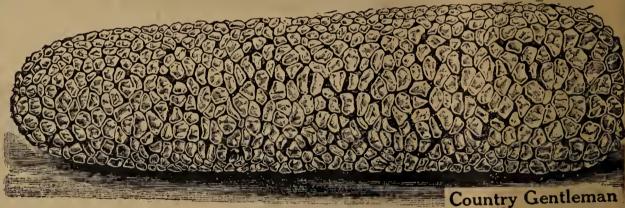
This corn, when in condition for the table, cooks remarkably white, but the ripe grain is black or bluish black. It is surpassed by none in tenderness and fine quality. For family use we consider it the most desirable second early sort. Stalk about six feet high. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 38c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.50, 10 lbs. \$2.75, prepaid.

Golden Evergreen is the result of a cross between Stowell's Evergreen and Golden Bantam, and proves to be a happy and complete blending of each sort. The plants are 6 to 7 feet high, strong, profusely leaved, and bear on each stalk, at a convenient height, two ears lavishly packed with delicious golden grains of appetizing flavor. Identical to White Evergreen except in color, being a beautiful Golden. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

Stowell's Evergreen A well-known, good late sort of excellent quality. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.



Golden Giant Corn

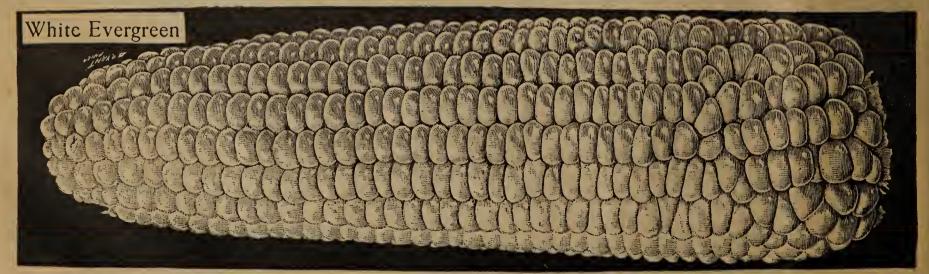


Country Gentleman \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

In this we have a variety which produces ears of large size, of delicious sweetness. Pkt. 7c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs.

Alneer's Improved Evergreen Sugar Corn The best for general crop, coming immediately after the second early sorts; is productive, has large, well-filled ears, deep kernels, and for sweetness cannot be excelled. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

New White Evergreen
The stalks are of a strong, vigorous growth, 6 to 7 feet high. Ears are very large, well-filled to the tip with long slender grains of the purest whiteness and most delicious flavor. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.





Sweet Corn Early Evergreen This excellent variety matures about 10 days earlier than Stowell's Evergreen. The stalks grow about 6½ to 7 feet high, bearing 6½ to 7-inch ears, with 14 to 18 more or less irregular rows of deep-set white kernels. We specially recommend this for the northern sections, as it matures in about 70 days. This is a good Sweet Corn to try in that garden of yours. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

Alneer's New Excelsior

We have tested many samples of Evergreen corn that were claimed to be earlier than Stowell's Evergreen and to be just as good, but we have never found any of them so valuable as the stock of this variety we offer. It has been proven both on our trial grounds and in the field to come into fit condition for use much earlier than Stowell's Evergreen and to remain in condition quite as long. The ears are large, with sixteen to twenty rows with very long grain which is of the very best quality. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 22c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, 10 lbs. \$2.95, prepaid.

## POP CORNS

Queen's Golden Is exceed. ingly tender when popped, together with its delicious and delicate taste. It pops perfectly white, and a single kernel will expand to a diameter of one inch. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 19c, 1 lb. 33c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.40, postpaid.

Or Dynamite. Usually 2 ears to a stalk. Large yellow kernels, 12 to 14 row ear, 6 to 7 inches long, having excellent popping qualities. Pops to enormous size. Popped kernel has no hard center. Pkt. 7c, ½ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 38c, 2 lbs. 70c, 5 lbs. \$1.50, 10 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.

White Rice or Snowball. A splendid variety for sharply pointed. Per pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 19c, 1 lb. 33c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.40, postpaid.

### Australian Hulless Pop-

Corn This is a dwarf-growing corn, a heavy yielder of attractive ears, peculiar in form, being nearly as thick as long. The kerncls are similar to the best strains of White Rice, only longer and slimmer and pearly white in color. Its crowning merit lies in its popping quality, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. Most tender and delicious flavor when popped. It is grown extensively for market and commands the highest price and most ready sale. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 19c, 1 lb. 33c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.40, postpaid.



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CUCUMBER Cucumbers succeed best in warm, rich ground. They should not be planted in open ground until settled warm weather. Plant in hills four feet each way, when all danger from insects is past, thin out, leaving three or four of the strongest plants to the hill.



**Davis Perfect** 

The shape is ideal. It is almost seedless one-third of its length. An ideal forcing sort of a rich dark green color, very prolific, of most excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 42c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.



The New Longfellow

Longfellow A grand new cucumber. The fruit is long, 12 to 16 inches in length, straight, smooth and handsome. The color is deep green, which is retained longer than any kind we know of. Flesh is crisp, solid, and of very best quality, and is not only ideal for slicing but the young fruit is fine for pickling. Being a white spine variety, Longfellow never turns yellow. It is very prolific and is characterized by a small seed cavity. Forces readily under glass. Pkt. 7c, oz. 17c, ½ lb. 65c, ½ lb. \$1.15, lb. \$2.25.

### Early Fortune

An attractive new variety, becoming very popular. Early Fortune is now being largely grown by market gardeners and shippers both north and south. In color it is an attractive deep green, which it retains much longer than most other sorts. Being fine grained, its white flesh is exceedingly crisp and brittle, making it an excellent slicing sort. Early Fortune is one of the earliest, dark green white spine cucumbers for shipping as well as for the table or market stall. Our seed is grown from the originator's stock by one of the best cucumber growers in the United States, who grows them for seed purposes only. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.



## **CUCUMBER**



Fordhook Pickling A wonderful prolific cucumber. Planted at the same time with other cucumbers, it will continue to bear pickles plentifully after the others have ripened their fruit and ceased to produce. It is straight, crisp and tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 42c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

West India Gherkin Used for pickles. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c.

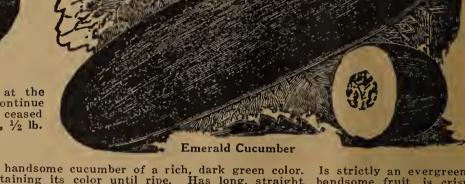
Early Russian The earliest variety. It sets in pairs. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 42c, 1/2 lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

Alneer Bros.:
I have used your seed for over 20 years and I find them the best I ever used, and extra pkts.
MARIE PERRY, Bidie, Miss.



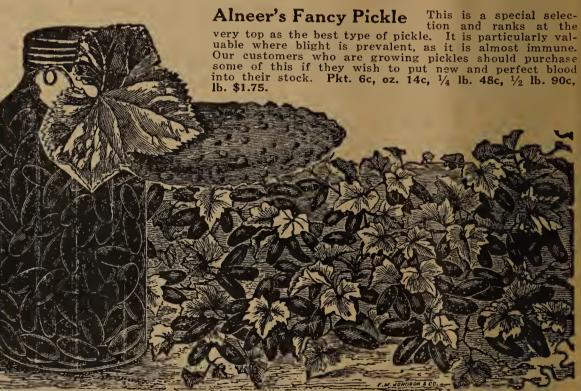
### Alneer's Extra Long Green Giant

This fine cucumber grows from 12 to 16 inches or more in length and is of superior quality. Vines are strong growers and the fruit is always produced in great abundance, making one of the most productive varieties in cultivation. Exceedingly crisp and tender. Pkt. 6c, oz. 14c, ½ lb. 48c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

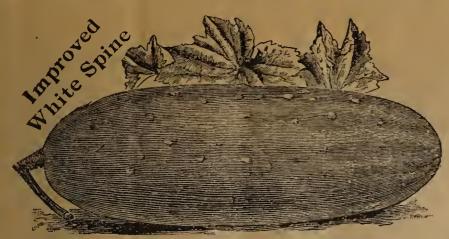


Emerald

A handsome cucumber of a rich, dark green color. Is strictly an evergreen retaining its color until ripe. Has long, straight, handsome fruit, is crisp and tender and of the best flavor. Equally good for slicing or pickles. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 42c, 1/2 lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.







Improved Early White Spine Favorite market variety much used for forcing by market gardeners. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 42c, 1/2 lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

Evergreen White Spine

An improved of the White Spine. Deep green than others.

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Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,



### Westerfield's Chicago Pickle

A very fine good pickle variety used largely in Chicago pickling houses. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 42c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

Improved Long Green Excellent quality; fruit long, dark green; fine and crisp. Pkt. 5c, oz. 13c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb. 85c, lb. \$1.65.

Fordhook Famous This new extra long White Spine cucumber produces perfectly smooth, very dark green, handsome, straight fruit, measuring 12 to 17 inches long. They are always solid, flesh being a greenish white, firm, crisp and of most delicious flavor. It is a great cropper and fruit is full of flesh with but few seeds. Fruit a beautiful green, long and symmetrical. Pkt. 5c, oz. 13c, ½ lb. 45c, ½ lb. 85c, lb. \$1.65.

Early Green Cluster

Paris Pickling Entirely distinct from all other sorts. It is decidedly the best of all in quality for pickling. So crisp and brittle are they that they snap freely, and when ready for pickling show absolutely no signs of seeds; the fruit is of unusually dark green color. Pkt. 7c, oz. 14c, ½ lb. 48c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.

Early Cluster A short, early variety, growing in clusters. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 42c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

Thorburn's Everbearing
vation, and will continue to blossom and bear fruit the entire season. Good for early use and pickles. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 42c, 1/2 lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.





Green Prolific One of the very best pickling sorts, very uniform in growth, hardly ever yielding cucumbers too large for pickling; exceedingly productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 42c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.



Japanese Climbing

much more rugged in its constitution and less susceptible to disease than the ordinary cucumber, and is immensely more prolific, each vine producing from 25 to 30 cucumbers, even on poor soil. The quality is splendid. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 42c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.



PARISIAN PICKLING



## **GOURDS**

Ornamental, fine and curious. Very valuable for covering old trees, fences, etc. Mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 40c. Mixed

Luffa or Dish Cloth The peculiar lining of this fruit sponge-like, porous, tough, elastic and durable, makes a natural dish cloth. Fruit grows about two feet long; the vine is very ornamental, with clusters of large yellow blossoms. Many ladies prefer this dish cloth to any other. Pkt. 5c.

Sugar Trough or Bucket Gourd Useful and interesting. Makes desirable buckets. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

True Japanese Nest Egg Gourd

A valuable imitation and answers the purpose well; rapid grower. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

Dipper Gourd A valuable household article. Train the vine on fence or trellis and necks grow straight. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

## Lettuce

Lettuce requires rich, moist soil. Sow in the spring as early as the ground can be prepared, in rows from 12 to 18 inches apart. For a succession, sow at intervals of about a fortnight.



Big Boston

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Grows to enormous size, well-grown heads measuring from 10 to 12 inches across. During the cool weather it heads particularly well, forming a tightly folded heart which consists of beautifully blanched, tender, and juicy leaves. The color of the heart is a light golden yellow. Big Boston is crisp, juicy, and distinctly buttery. A valuable variety for the home gardener as well as for the market grower who realizes the advantages of growing quality varieties. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Immensity Of enormous size, probably the largest known variety; very solid heading, crisp, delicious and of superb quality; will withstand very warm weather and remain crisp and tender. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

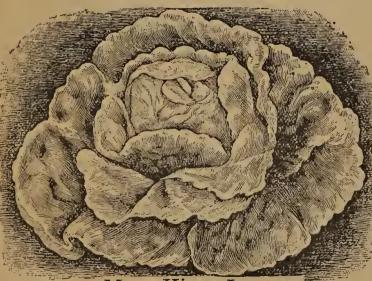


Iceberg Lettuce

Iceberg The large curly leaves which cover the outside of the solid heads are a bright light green; they have small indents which hold the dewdrops and are thus kept fresh. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c. ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

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May King Lettuce

May King

A large light green heading lettuce of excellent quality and desirable for growing either under glass or outdoors. It is extremely hardy and very quick growing. The plants grow six to seven inches in diameter with the outer leaves folded closely forming the plant into a solid head. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.



Wonderful or New York Forms dense heads of bright green spicuous in the garden. The leaves are crisp, tender and juicy, qualities that will recommend it either for salads or garnishing. While one of the earliest of the early, it endures the heat of summer as well, if not better, than any other variety. It certainly is a valuable sort, and is bound to win the favor of all who plant and cultivate it, either for home or market use. Pkt 7c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 45c, ½ lb. 80c, lb. \$1.50.

New York No. 12 This selection from the original New York Lettuce represents a marked improvement over the popular older type. This variety has proved to be well adapted for growing successfully along the Atlantic coast and in the Eastern portion of the United States generally. It is remarkable for its uniformity, large size, sureness of heading, and attractive appearance. The heart of the tightly folded head is a beautiful white. White seeded. Pkt. 8c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 50c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.75.



Immensity Lettuce

California California All
Heart Its shape is very distinct, heading up like a pointed cabbage and almost as solid; of a pretty light green shade, almost white, rich and buttery in flavor. It grows rapidly and is equally valuable for both spring and summer use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Burpee's Tomhannock The leaves grow upright, and are handsomey wrinkled, very crisp and tender. Is of finest quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

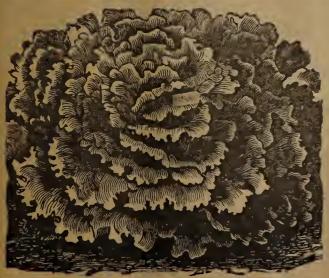
Chicken Lettuce Does not head but has stalks 3 to 4 ft. high which yield as much chicken-feed as any "greens" plant. When cut it starts to grow again. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.



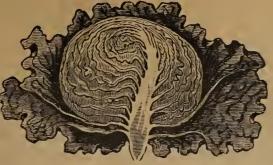




Early Curled Simpson



Black Seeded Curled Simpson Lettuce



Improved Hanson Lettuce

## LETTUCE

Improved Hanson Heads large, solid, tender, crisp, and of fine flavor; one of the best in cultivation. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Giant Crystal Head A new European sort; one of the finest ever introduced. A head variety and very large. It remains a long time in eatable condition. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

### Market Gardener's Forcing

Of quick growth, not liable to rot; will stand high heat. Tender, brittle and of very fine flavor; of the Grand Rapids character. An excellent forcing sort. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Early Prize Head An excellent sort; Early Prize Head Lettuce plant in which the outer leaves are crisp and tender and remain so throughout the season. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Grand Rapids

Of fine quality and beautiful appearance.

A first class, excellent forcing sort; a very desirable variety for spring sowing, in the open ground. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Crisp as Ice A most beautiful sort. The heads are solid, of immense size. The glossy leaves are thick, nicely crimped and curled, very tender and brittle. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Early Curled Simpson The earlileading market sort. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Cream California A head lettuce of fine flavor; stands summer heat best; is crisp and tender. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Self-Folding or Paris White

Cos One of the best upright sorts, tender and crisp Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

New Tenderheart Alneer's

### Black Seeded Curled Simpson

It is nearly double the size of ordinary curled Simpson and excellent for forcing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb.





Self-Folding or Paris White Cos Lettuce



New Tenderheart Lettuce

### Honey Rock

## MUSKMELON

Melons thrive best in light, sandy, warm and rich soil. Plant about May 15th to 30th, in hills four feet apart each way. Plant ten to twelve seeds in each hill and after they are out of danger from bugs thin to three or four plants.

### Honey Rock or Sugar Rock

An entirely distinct new variety; extremely prolific, large in size, of attractive appearance (round, not ribbed, heavily gray-netted over golden yellow), so tough it handles and ships perfectly; and most important of all, its deep, melting, orange-colored flesh with tantalizingly sweet aroma, are irresistible inducements to take, eat and enjoy one of the best flavored melons ever produced. A great market seller—because so keenly appreciated at home. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.



## Alneer's New Per-

fect Leader The shape shown in the illustration herewith; color of skin is a deep rich green, well ribbed and thickly netted, while the flesh is a rich salmon. The melon is nearly all flesh, the interior being very small, hardly large enough to accommodate the seed. In flavor it is simply unexcelled, and it certainly justifies its name. Pkt. 6c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 40c, ½ lb. 70c, lb. \$1.25.

## Extra Early Hack-

ensack Large, very productive and of delicious flavor; very fine for market or family. The fruits are nearly two weeks earlier than Hackensack, medium to large sized, nearly round or somewhat flattened, evenly and deeply ribbed and with very coarse netting. The skin is green, slightly tinged with yellow as the fruits mature. The flesh is green, a little coarse but juicy and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 43c, lb. 80c.

Newark, Mo., Feb. 14, '28.

I buy all my seed from you because I know your Seeds are the best, and cheapest, for I have been using them for 5 years.

Mrs. George H. Glover.



### Bender's Surprise

A delicious, large, salmon fleshed melon weighing from 5 to 10 pounds with superior shipping and keeping qualities. Fruits, oblong, light greenish yellow skin with light netting. Flesh unusually spicy and very sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.

### Milwaukee Market

One of the best melons for market and the home garden. Prolific, vigorous in growth, and unsurpassed in flavor. The skin is light green, fruits nearly round, with only slight sutures. The flesh is a deep salmon color, thick, firm and solid and possesses a rich aromatic flavor; very uniform in size. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.

Banana Of a creamy white straw color, entirely frec from netting; flesh thick, salmon color; grows from 18 to 30 inches in length; very productive. Delicious and sweet in flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c. 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

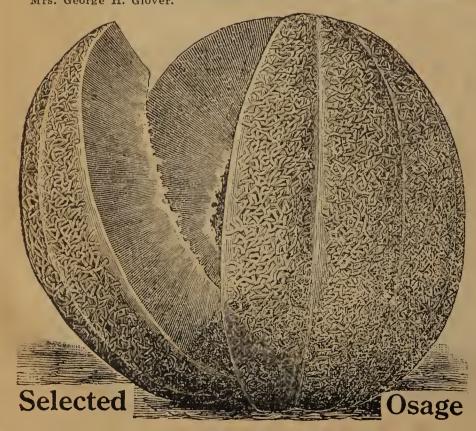
Jenny Lind An early variety of small size, delicious flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

### Selected Osage

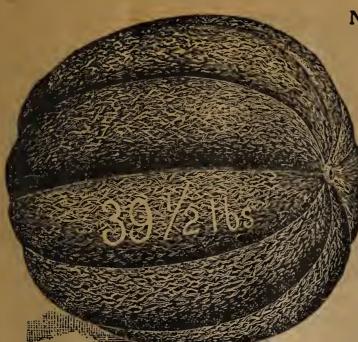
The Osage grows to a medium size and is egg shaped. The skin is dark green in color skin is dark green in color and very thin, slightly n e t-ted. The flesh is of salmon color, ex-tremely sweet, thick and do thick and delicious to the rind. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 43c, lb. 80c.



Lake Champlain (Orange flesh.) Early maturing Muskmelon is of the Emerald Gem type but ripens much earlier, producing almost round, medium size melons, well netted, moderately ribbed, thick fleshed, sweet and melting of golden yellow color; maturing in 57 days and does well in all sections. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 55c, 1 lb. \$1.00.

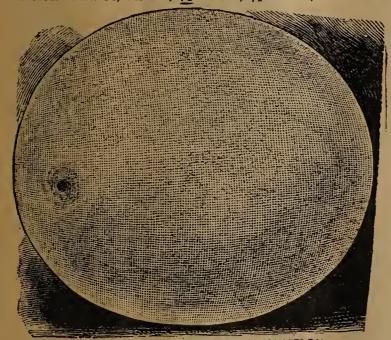


Plant Muskmelons This Year



Alneer's Improved Large Nutmeg

### Alneer's Improved Large Nutmeg Nutmeg shape; flesh green; delicious flavor, skin finely netted. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.



NEW HONEY DEW MUSKMELON

New Honey Muskmelon

Uniform in shape and size, weighing from 3 to 4 pounds each, skin green and thickly netted. They are very thick meated, flesh of a light, green color, the inside surface, when cut open, being of a beautiful green color. In quality and flavor they are superior, being uniformly rich, sugary and luscious. They are extra early. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 43c, lb. 80c.

### **Emerald Gem**

The skin is an emerald green color and quite smooth; the flesh is light red or salmon; very thick, juicy and of the most luscious flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 43c, lb. 80c.

### Burrell's Gem

Fruits oblong, weigh 3 pounds; heavily netted and faintly ribbed; flesh thick, deep salmon of excellent quality; a standard shipping variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 23c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

### Hale's Best

Hale's Best
The earliest maturing of all large melons. Even in a season remarkable for its coolness, the melons develop to luscious sweetness in 70 days after planting. The fruits are oval. Occasionally some fruits are somewhat more elongated. They have delicious, sweet, bright salmon-orange flesh which is firm, fine grained, and has a rich delightful aroma. It is one of the favorite new melons. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.

### Rocky Ford

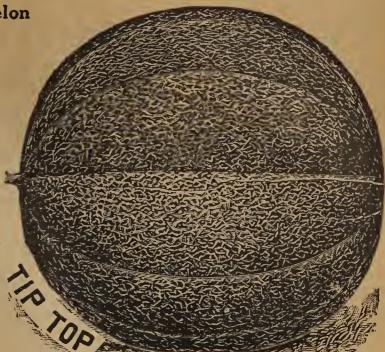
Is used largely in hotels and restaurants. We have finest stock of this sort on market. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, \( \frac{1}{4} \) lb. 23c, \( \frac{1}{2} \) lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

New Honey Dew A wonderful new melon sold at fabulous prices in all leading markets. They grow about 6 inches in diameter from top to bottom and 7 or 8 inches long. The color is a dull white when ripe, have no netting. The rind, though thin, is very tough and so close that the excellent flesh is practically sealed up where it keeps in fine condition for several weeks after they are ripe. The flesh is a rich green color, very sweet, and possesses a delightful flavor. The vines are more productive than the ordinary kinds and the muskmelons are superior shippers. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.



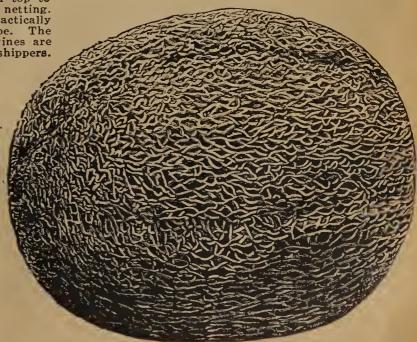
Hearts of Gold

Extremely thick, sweet orange flesh. An ideal basket and crate molon of medium size, round, heavily netted. Average size of melon 6 to 8 inches in diameter. Matures in 75 days. The seed cavity is small and the rind is very tough, making it a good shipper; its vine is a vigorous grower and a heavy cropper. A very convenient sized melon for the table and for packing in shipment. Does well in all sections. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 28c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.



Tip-Top This melon is distinct in appearance. Our first claim for it is that it stands at the very tip-top for quality. Sweet, juicy, finest flavor; firm but not hard fleshed; very attractive and showy appearance; is finely netted. Unexcelled in productiveness. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 43c, lb. 80c.





Gold Lined Rocky Ford

One of the sweetest and most delicious early melons ever grown. The melons are deeply netted, being covered with a heavy grayish netting. The flesh is thick, very tender and of a beautiful green color, with a gold margin next to the seed cavity. Its shape is ideal, very slightly oval, no ribs, and is heavily netted over the entire melon. A wonderfully prolific yielder. The close and deep netting thoroughly covering the melon, protects its keeping and shipping qualities. In flavor it is most deliciously sweet and spicy. The seed cavity is very small, the attractive green flesh is thick, smooth and firm, making it the best melon for carrying to distant markets, as well as a home garden sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 28c, ½ lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

## Watermelon

Watermelons require a rich, sandy soil. Cultivate as for muskmelon, except that the hills should be six feet apart, each way.

Kleckley's Sweets Are the sweetest flavored water-melons grown. Oblong shape, dark green skin; bright red flesh, always solid and of the most luscious flavor imaginable. The only fault we discover is that the rind is too tender for the melons to ship well to distant markets, but for the home garden and local market no other melon can equal the Kleckley Sweets. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 38c, lb. 75c.

Mammoth Gray Monarch Attains a weight of 60 pounds and over. Outside skin of the mottled gray color; shape large; flesh bright crimson, sweet and delicious flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 38c, lb. 75c.

Cuban Queen Grows to a mammoth size, not unusual for specimens to reach 80 pounds, and is an enormous yielder. The skin is beautifully striped light and dark green; flesh unsurpassed, bright red, solid and of most delicious flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 65c.

New Luscious Sugar

This splendid large melon is oblong in shape. The tough skin is very dark green, with lighter stripes; flesh is dark in color, fine grained, sweet and luscious, entirely free of stringiness. A first class shipper; under good cultivation they grow to a very large size, frequently weighing from 30 to 60 pounds. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 70c.

Tom Watson A new large long melon weighing from 40 to 60 pounds. The dark green rind is thin but tough and makes an excellent shipping as well as market and home melon. The deep red flesh is sweet, crisp, melting and finest flavor—heart, large, with no sign of core. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 70c.

Venitia, Pa.

I have bought my seeds from Alneer Bros. for 20 years and have always found them the best and true to name—always reliable.

THOS. H. PILKEY.





Thurmond's Gray

# Thurmond Gray Distinct Wilt-Resistant and Sunproof Melon—85 Days

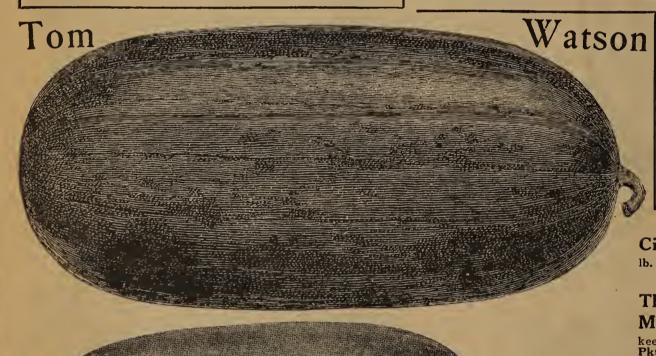
This new Watermelon has strong healthy vines, stands wet weather well and is a good producer. Its quality and attractiveness have made it an excellent market melon. In shape it is long and thick. The rind is of a rich, greenish gray color, making it hard to sunburn. Melons grow to a very large size. The flesh is bright red, finely flavored, solid and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

Citron Used for making preserves and sweetmeats. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

The Wonderful Japanese Pie Melon Makes delicious preserves and savory pies, requiring very little sugar. Will keep all winter, flesh light green or cream color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 75c.



STONE MOUNTAIN or DIXIE BELLE



Pride of Muscatine-Wilt-Resistant

Pride of Muscatine

A new wilt-resistant strain of the popular Kleckley Sweets recommended to growers in melon a better shipper than Kleckley Sweets. It has dark green skin and beautiful deep red flesh which is sweet, crisp, and tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.

Stone Mountain

A new round Watermelon. The color of the smooth skin is light green. The flesh is a beautiful and uniform deep crimson without any white hearts or stringiness. The average melons weigh about 45 lbs. each. It has a thin rind and is fine for home use and local markets. This has become very popular within the last few years. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 85c.



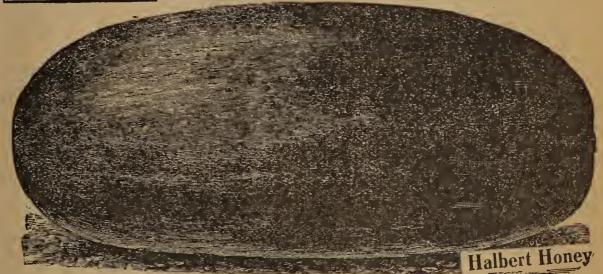
### Cole's Early

Very hardy; a sure cropper for Northern states. Delicate in texture of flesh, which is dark red; rind green, striped with lighter shades, thin and very brittle; of medium size, and nearly round; matures early, especially good for home use. Pkt 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 36c, lb. 70c.

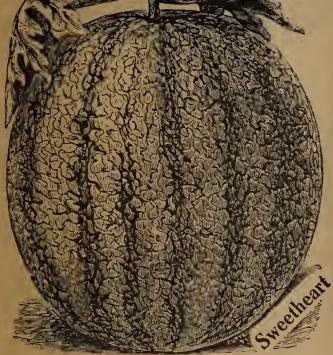
Harris' Earliest

Harris' Earliest An early, large melon. Very sweet, delicious and attractive. Has beautiful red core, sweet and melting. Exceedingly productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

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Halbert Honey
This melon equaling in flavor and as handsome in color as Kleckley's Sweet but more regular in form. They average 18 to 20
inches in length. The flesh is a beautiful crimson, of luscious quality, melting and sweet
as honey. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 38c, lb. 70c.



Sweet Heart

Vigorous and productive, ripening its fruit early; fruit large, oval, very heavy, uniformly mottled light and dark green; rind thin but firm, flesh bright red, firm, solid, very tender, melting and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

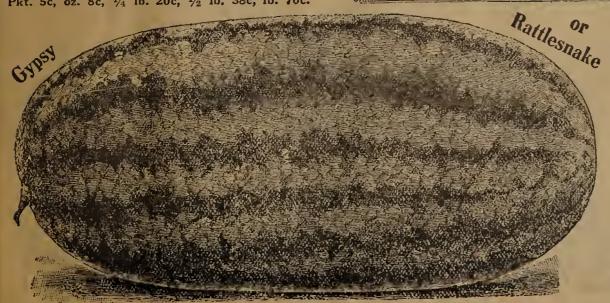
Columbia, or Dixie
This melon has a remarkably thin, tough rind, and as a keeper and shipper has no equal. Its productiveness is unequaled. The melons are of a dark green color, oblong in shape, and beautifully striped. Flesh bright scarlet, of fine quality almost down to the skin. Most productive, finest eating, best shipper ever introduced. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

Gypsy, or Georgia Rattlesnake

Very large, oblong, striped; flesh red, fine quality.

Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 38c, lb. 70c.





Alabama Sweets A grand melon. It is a large, beautiful shaped melon, the skin is tough and is not injured by handling nor shipping. It is one of the best and sweetest sorts ever grown. It is well adapted to the north because it is not as late as many of the large varieties. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

Florida Favorite An early melon. Size medium to large; sweet and delicious in flavor, and a most excellent melon. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

Color of Gold—Sweet as Honey
Golden Honey
Flesh of rich golden yellow color, firm, crisp and glistening, and fairly melts in your mouth. Fruits medium large, oblong, rind hard and of very dark green color. It is a real quality melon and greatly liked by everyone that has tasted it. Matures in 85 days. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.



## ONION

In the spring as early as the ground can be prepared, sow seeds in drills 15 inches apart. When the young plants are strong enough thirt so that they stand about 3 inches apart. Four pounds of seed or more are usually sown to the acre. As soon as up begin hoeing and cultivating. Keep clean until ripe.

## Southport Red Globe

## Southport Large Red Globe

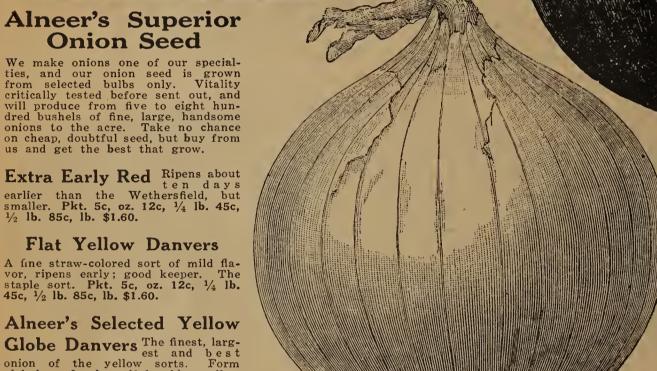
This variety is very similar to Southport White Globe in shape and size. It is a splendid keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c, ½ lb. 60c, ½ lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.10.

### White Southport Globe

A large, firm, globe-shaped variety, white skin; fine flesh, handsome shape and good keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c, 1/4 lb. 65c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

### Southport Yellow Globe

A very handsome onion, oblong shape like the Large White Globe, and resembles that variety in every respect, except in color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c, \(^1/2\) lb. \(^55c\), \(^1/2\) lb. \(^1.30\), lb. \(^22.50\).



## Alneer's Selected Yellow

Flat Yellow Danvers

**Onion Seed** 

Globe Danvers The finest, largest and best onion of the yellow sorts. Form globular, of a beautiful golden yellow color, mild flavor, large size and an excellent keeper. Will yield 800 bushels to the acre. Seeds are all grown from selected bulbs. Pkt. 5c, oz. 17c, ½ lb. 65c, ½ lb. \$1.20, lb. \$2.35.

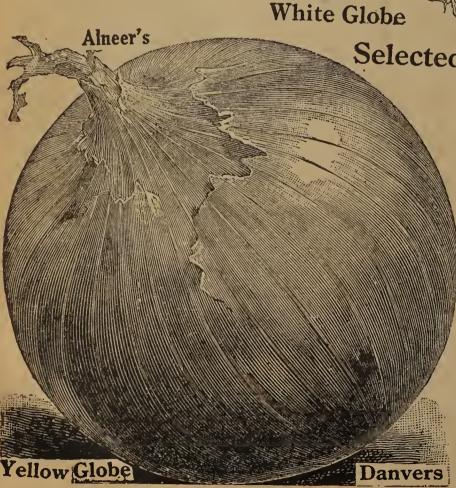
### Alneer's White Selected Pickling

Southport

For pickling, early bunching or sets the finest strain offered. Private planters, market gardeners, pickle factories and others who once use it will have no other. Early and excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c, ½ lb. \$1.15, ib. \$2.25.



### White Portugal or Silverskin







Sweet Spanish A very large globe-shaped light yellow onion per. A Spanish variety which has quickly become very popular in this country. In this onion you will find all the good features of a perfect onion with none of the disadvantages of the common onion. Mild sweet flavor, good firm meat, fine tender texture. Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c, 1/4 lb. 65c, 1/2 lb. \$1.30, 1 lb. \$2.50.



Crystal White Wax Bermuda

This new variety is a large, pure-white, flat onion. Durers of onions in the South, especially in southwest Texas. It does very well under northern conditions and produces one of the mildest and sweetest of them all. It is very fine for slicing, the color being so clear and pure. The best seed is produced in Teneriffe, Canary Islands. Our stock is genuine. Pkt. 7c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

Australian Brown
Introduced from Australia. Is of medium size, wonderfully hard and solid, and most attractive for market; will keep in good condition longer than any other onion known, almost indefinitely. The color of the skin is a clear amber brown. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, ½ lb. 45c, ½ lb. 85c, lb. \$1.60.



Alneer's New Gold Mine

The ideal Yellow Globe Onion. Is of handsome, bright, even yellow color, with small neck. Large, solid, firm onions; ripens medium early all at once. The firm, solid bulbs are excellent winter keepers; 1.000 bushels have been grown on a single acre of good rich land. Pkt. 5c, oz. 17c, 1/4 lb. 65c, 1/2 lb. \$1.20, lb. \$2.35.

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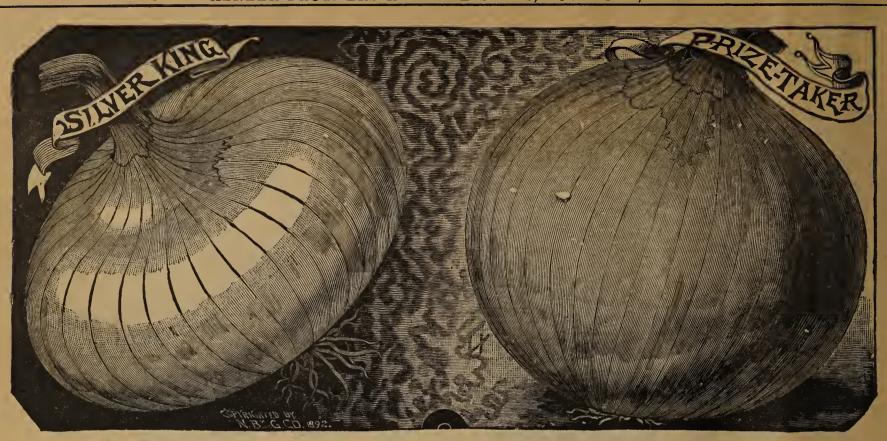
I have sent to many places for seeds but I never got anything in seed line to equal the Alneers. I always have the best garden and such fine vegetables. People will ask me where did you get this kind of seeds? I say at Alneer Bros., the best seed house I ever bought from. I wish you good success this year.

Mollie Kelley.



Ailsa Craig

This mammoth onion is grown in England, where it originated almost to the exclusion of all other sorts, owing to its immense size, its handsome oval appearance, and its pungent but sweet and mild flavor. It is an excellent keeper for a large onion, heavy yielder and grown for exhibition purposes perhaps more than any other variety. Its attractive pale straw color, its productivity and large size make it a most desirable sort either for market or the home garden. Pkt. 5c, oz. 17c, ½ lb. 65c, ½ lb. \$1.20, lb. \$2.35.





## ONION

### Mammoth Prize

This is the large, beautiful Spanish onion that is offered for sale in the fruit stores and in the markets of all large cities. They are of enormous size, averaging from fourteen to sixteen inches in circumference. Although of such great size, they are very hardy and a very good winter keeper. The outside skin is of a rich yellow color, while the flesh is white, sweet and tender. In market it attracts marked attention and sells readily at high prices. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c, ½ lb. 60c, ½ lb. \$1.15, lb. \$2.25.

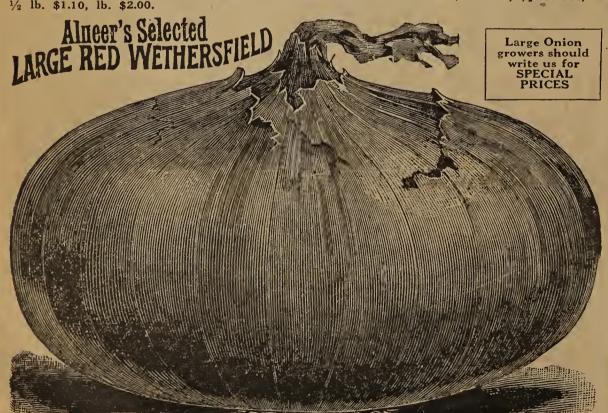
Mammoth Silver King

Of mammoth size, single bulbs often attain three or four pounds in weight. The skin is a beautiful sifvery white; the flesh is snowy white and particularly mild and pleasant flavor. It cannot be too highly recommended. Pt. 5c, oz. 16c, \( \frac{1}{4} \) lb. 60c, \( \frac{1}{2} \) lb. \$1.15, lb. \$2.25.

Early White Barletta Onion

New White Queen One of the earliest of all onions. A good keeper. Pkt. '5c, oz. 16c, 1/4 lb. 60c, 1/2 lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.00.

This is a very early pure white variety. The onions have a very delicate silver skin; flesh is firm and mild in flavor. a very delicate silver skin; flesh is firm and mild in flavor. The onions have others is its extreme earliness. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c, 1/4 lb. 60c, 1/2 lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.00.



Alneer's Selected Large Red Wethersfield Our choicest selection of this grand, good onion; carefully selected, will produce extra large crops of perfect onions. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c, ½ lb. \$1.10, lb. \$2.10.

## **Onion Sets**



## **PARSLEY**

Alneer's Emerald Beauty Prettiest curled fringed sort growing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 60c, lb. \$1.00.

Double Moss Curled

A fine dwarf variety, excellent for garnishing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 22c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

Fern-Leaved

Beautiful fern-leaved variety, very fine for table decoration. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.



Sow seed early in April in hotbed, and transplant to open ground when weather becomes warm and favorable. Set plants in warm, mellow soil in rows two feet apart and fifteen inches in the row.

Mammoth Ruby King The Ruby King grows to a very large size, being 7 to 8 inches long and about 4 inches through; of a bright red color; remarkably mild and pleasant in flavor. Is very prolific, single plants ripening from 15 to 25 large fruits. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 80c.

Worldbeater A cross between Chinese Giant and Ruby King. The four-lobed Peppers are 5 in. long and 3½ in. in diameter. Very productive. Glossy rich scarletred skin and thick mild flesh. Matures early and is extensively grown for home use, for market, and for shipping to distant market, which it reaches in best condition. Pkt 7c, oz. 30c, ½

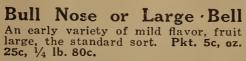




Sunnybrook Pepper

Sunnybrook The Sunnybrook is larger and an improvement on the older type of the tomato-shaped Pimento. It comes into bearing early, is very productive, has very thick, sweet flesh, and is a brilliant red. Pkt. 7c, oz. 35c, ½ lb. \$1.10.

Harris' Early Giant This is a choice home garden sort, especially for Northern growing, because it ripens early. The peppers are larger than any other early ones, 3½ inches in diameter and 4½ inches long, while from 6 to 10 are produced on one plant. Bright red. Pkt. 7c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. \$1.00.



Pimiento This is the sweetest pepper grown, as it does not contain the lightest trace of fieriness. The plants are extremely productive, and peppers are medium in size and of a shape which is desirable for filling, and when prepared in this manner they are delicious. It may also be used in preparing salads and for flavoring, in which case it will add a fresh and delightful flavor. The flesh is quite thick. When fully ripe the peppers are of a brilliant red color and very attractive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 80c.

Mammoth Golden New, very large. They Queen Queen

New, very large. They are very productive, growing from 12 to 20 perfect fruits, 7 to 8 inches long on a single plant. In color they are a bright waxy golden yellow, and mild in flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

### California Wonder

Here's a new Pepper of real merit. It's nearly as large as, and earlier than, Chinese Giant. It will sit upright and is ideal to stuff and bake, or to serve whole with salad. Its walls are exceptionally thick, heavier and firmer than any other sort, and the flesh is deliciously sweet and spicy, with no bite to it. The specimen pictured at right was 4½ inches across and weighed 10½ ounces. The bright attractive green changes to a brilliant light crimson. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c.



New Chinese Giant A wonderful variety and is by far the largest sort ever grown. They grow four to five inches broad at top; of glossy scarlet color; mild flavor, all uniformly large, fine fruit. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50.



California Wonder



Long Red Cayenne Fruit a brilliant red, from three to four inches long, very productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 80c.

Long Red Cayenne Pepper



New Celestial The plant from which the accompanying illustration was made contains 300 peppers. Peppers up to the time they are full grown are a delicate creamy yellow, and when full grown change to vivid scarlet. Of clear, sharp flavor. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c.

New Celestial



Improved Market Parsnips

## PARSNIPS

Parsnips succeed best in deep, rich soil. Sow as early in spring as weather will permit, in rows 15 inches apart. When the plants are two inches high thin out to five or six inches in the row. Very valuable for the table or feeding cattle.

Long White Sugar or Hollow Crown One of the best for general use. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lh. 20c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 38c, lb. 70c.

Improved Guernsey or Cup Shorter and thicker than the Hollow Crown; roots smooth, fine grained and excellent flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 38c,

New Improved Market
A new strain halflong parsnip from
Germany, largely grown by the Berlin gardeners. Unequalled in shape and quality to any other sort. Pkt.
5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 75c.

## **PEAS**

For an early spring crop plant in light rich sandy soil as soon as the ground can be worked. For a general crop a deep loam is preferred. In quality the green wrinkled varieties are the best, as they are much the sweetest and keep in eatable condition longer than the other varieties. Packets contain 2 ozs.

Alneer's First and Best This pea is unsurpassed in extra earliness; a heavy yielder. Pods good-sized and well filled; of excellent flavor; height from 20 inches to two feet. It is a splendid pea for market gardeners as well as for family use. Large pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 28c, 2 lbs. 50c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, prepaid.



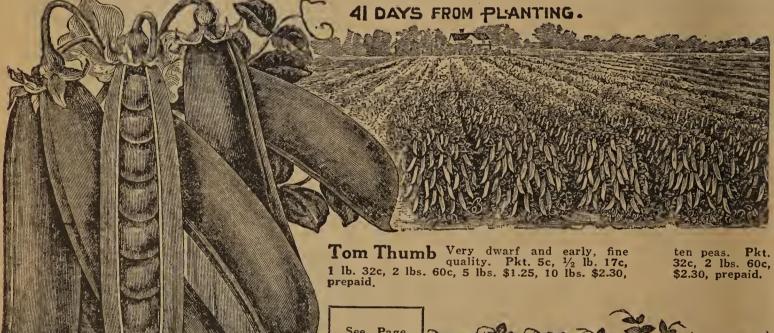
In ordering specify for Peas. Inoculator size for 1 bu. 50c, \(^1\sqrt{2}\) bu. 35c. Garden size 25c.





### Carter's Daisy or Dwarf Telephone

This splendid variety of medium early Peas is excellent for mark et gardeners. Height, under high culture, 18 inches. Habit, dwarf, stocky, healthy and vigorous. Remarkably uniform in height with almost no tendency to sport, very productive plants frequently bearing from five to seven pods. Pods long, frequently five inches in length, remarkably well filled, often containing 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs.



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Alneer's Earliest of All Peas.

Alneer's Earliest of All Peas

It is a smooth sort, with wonderful ability to mature quickly. It is absolutely unsurpassed in extra early qualities, in flavor, in size of pod and productiveness, in vigor and regularity of growth, and in genuine merit. Every seedsman claims to sell an "earliest" pea, but, after testing them all, we know that not one excels our celebrated strain, either in quality, quantity or earliness. Alneer's Earliest of All is very hardy, and may be sown as soon as the soil becomes mellow. It may be relied upon to be ready for market in about forty-five days from date of germination. Its profitable character is shown by the fact that the demand for it increases year by year. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 56c, 5 lbs. \$1.20, 10 lbs. \$2.20, prepaid. paid.

Adolphus, Ky.
I always order my seeds from Alneer Brothers, then I feel sure of a good crop.

L. J. HINTON.



Bliss' American Wonder One of the earliest varieties; the very best of wrinkled sorts. In productiveness, flavor and quality they are unsurpassed. They are of a dwarf, robust habit, growing from 10 to 14 inches high. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.30, prepaid.

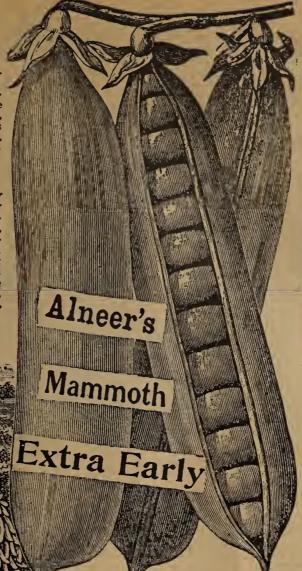
# PEAS

Alneer's Mammoth Extra Early

An extra early large podded pea of excellent quality. The blue seed is the same as Alaska, and the vines grow to the same height, but more vigorously, and produce fully as early, large deep green pods of almost double the size. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.30, prepaid.

Sutton's Excelsion This handsome new wrinkled pea is so hardy that it may safely be planted as early as the hardseeded "Extra Earlies." The plants are dwarf, growing about 14 inches high, exceedingly productive, and the quality is all that could be desired. It makes the largest pods of any of the low-growing wrinkled peas, and matures nearly as early as Nott's Excelsior, but bears broader pods, and the foliage is a lighter shade of green. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.30, prepaid.







Extra Early Alaska The Alaska is all peas, is the most prolific and good flavored of all the early peas. The Alaska is from two days to a week earlier than any other pea. A good pea for market gardeners. Large pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 28c, 2 lbs. 50c, 5 lbs. \$1.15, 10 lbs. \$2.10, prepaid.

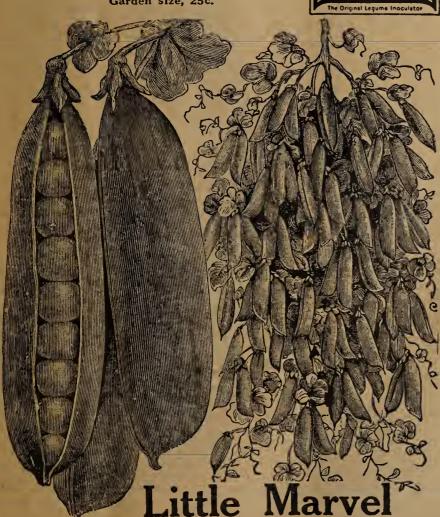
In ordering specify for Peas. Inoculator size for 1 bu. 50c, ½ bu. 35c. Garden size, 25c.



Fisher, W. Va.

I have used your seeds for several years and have never found any to equal them in quality or price. They are just right.

Mrs. John A. Kessel.

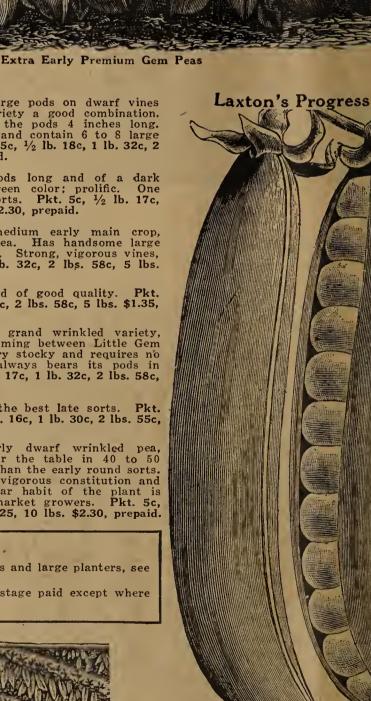


Little Marvel A new dwarf first-early pea of unusual value. But recently on the market. The demand among market gardeners for this variety is already enormous. The vines average 15 inches in height, and the pods  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in length, frequently borne in pairs. The pods contain from 6 to 7 large dark green peas which remain in good eatable shape a week later than most other varieties. This variety is as early as Nott's Excelsior or American Wonder, but produces a much larger pod. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.



Peter Pan A fine new extra early dwarf sort of English origin. Having large pods filled with peas of highest quality. Is an exceedingly heavy cropper, producing long dark green pods. The plant is very robust and grows to a height of 1½ feet. Undoubtedly the best dwarf growing, large podded sort yet introduced, cannot be too highly recommended. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.





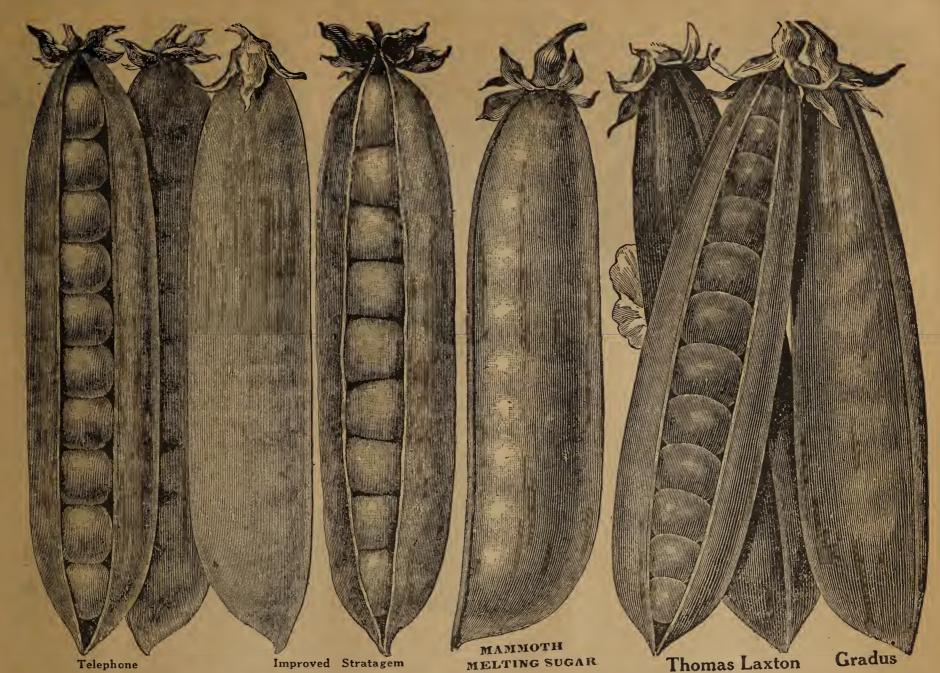
Laxton's Progress This is the earliest of the large-podded dwarf varieties. The pods are as large as Laxtonian, broad and pointed, deep green in color, containing eight large dark green Peas of very high quality. The vines are 15 to 18 inches in height and are very productive. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.30, 10 lbs. \$2.35, prepaid.

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Nott's Excelsion Peas



Thomas Laxton A new sort of immense size, filled with large dark green pods of finest quality. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.30, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.

New Gradus or Prosperity A new early and hardy vigorous grower; light green color. Pods large, producing from 7 to 9 peas of enormous size, which, when cooked, retain the beautiful soft green color and are soft and mellow. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.30, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.

Improved Stratagem One of the very best of the wrinkled sorts. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 58c, 5 lbs. \$1.35, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.

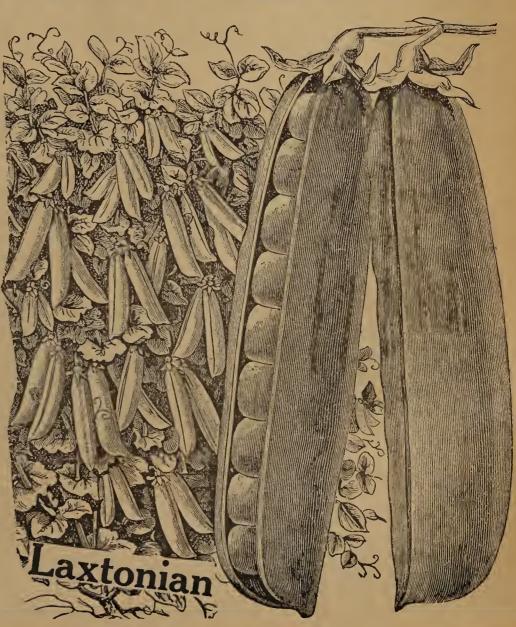
**Telephone** Large wrinkled sort; second early; and excellent pea. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 16c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 55c, 5 lbs. \$1.25, 10 lbs. \$2.40, prepaid.

Mammoth Melting Sugar

the size of pod and prolific bearing, also for its delicious flavor. It grows to the height of 3½ feet; bears a profusion of very large, broad, handsome, light green (nearly white) pods, which are generally found in pairs and so brittle that they snap without any strings. Sweet and tender. Cook like wax beans. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.

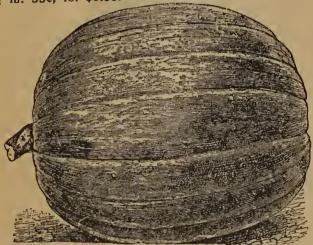
Laxtonian This is the largest podded of all the early dwarf varieties and is a new sort of decided merit. The vines are vigorous, growing about 16 inches high, and produces a large crop of good sized pods, averaging from 9 to 10 peas to the pod. The peas are of exquisite flavor and mature early. Many people who have tried it claim it to be the best of all the early dwarf sorts. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 18c, 1 lb. 32c, 2 lbs. 60c, 5 lbs. \$1.40, 10 lbs. \$2.50, prepaid.

Everbearing This very desirable variety was introduced many years ago, and is still a general favorite. It is a medium early variety, with vigorous vines which have a decided branching habit. It attains a height of about three feet and bears continuous crops of attractive pods, containing six to nine large marrow peas of delicious flavor, and of excellent cooking quality. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 17c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 55c, 5 lbs. \$1.30, 10 lbs. \$2.40, prepaid.





Japanese Pie A very good productive variety, the pumpkins ripen early, of medium size, good keepers, and weigh 15 to 20 pounds each. The flesh is a rich salmon color, unusually fine grained. For making pies, custards, etc., they certainly have no equal. Per Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.



Connecticut Field

Connecticut Field Large yellow, very productive, grown for stock, very good for pies. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 18c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c.

Large Cheese

The best variety for cooking. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

Cushaw or Cream

A rich and popular sort. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, ½ lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.

Pumpkins are principally cultivated for agricultural purposes. Plant seeds in May in hills 8 feet

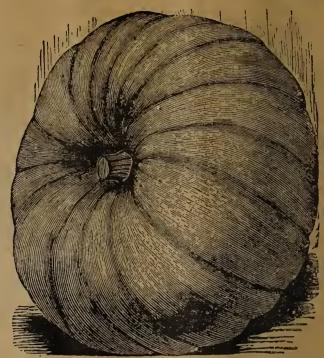


Tennessee Sweet Potato Pumpkin Excellent for pies; medium size, flesh and skin creamy white, fine grained; sweet and delicious, first rate keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.00.



SMALL SUGAR PUMPKIN

Small Sugar Very prolific; 8 inches in diameter, deep orange yellow; fine grained; keeps well. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 75c. Large Tours or Mammoth Is of immense size, often weighing 150 lbs. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4



KING OF THE MAMMOTHS

King of the Mammoths No other pump-duced has reached such enormous weights. The heaviest grown since its introduction was 245 lbs. Skin of light salmon color, flesh of golden yellow, very fine grain; excellent quality; splendid for pies and table use, heavy cropper. Pkt. 8c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb. 70c, lb. \$1.35.



NEW VIRGINIA PEANUTS

The Peanut is easily grown in every state. It requires but little care beyond that of thorough cultivation. A light soil is preferable. Plant about the same time as corn. Rootlets shoot into the ground from the vine, and peanuts are formed at the end under the surface. By mail, 1/4 lb. 10c, 1/2 lb. 16c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 50c, 5 lbs. \$1.10.



# SELECTED SEED POTATOES

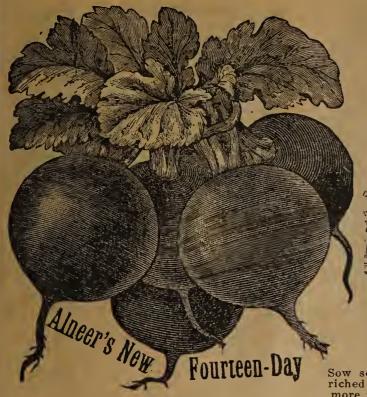
Early Six Weeks Market Grows medium to large size, resembles Early Ohio. Is very early. The tops and tubers grow so rapidly that in six weeks from planting the potatoes are marketable size, and reach maturity in 72 days. A fine table potato, not excelled by any other sort, oblong to round in shape, colored skin, white flesh, very smooth eyes even with the surface; tubers grow close together in the hill. Heavy yielders; ½ bu. 65c, bu. \$1.60, sack, 100 lbs., \$2.60.

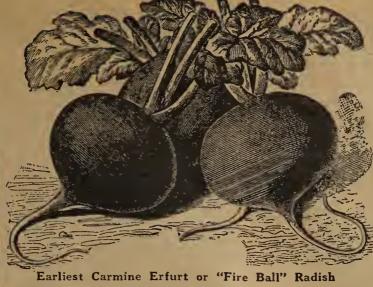
Early Ohio A widely known and popular sort; is very early and has the advantage of being fit for use and sale even before fully ripe. All our potatoes are grown in the extreme north and are free from scab. ½ bu. 65c, 1 bu. \$1.60, sack, 100 lbs. \$2.60.

Irish Cobbler A World Wide Favorite. It is a most excellent extra early variety, maturing good size tubers seven weeks from time of planting. It has also the remarkable characteristic of producing very few, if any, small potatoes, all the tubers being of marketable size. The vines make short, upright growth, so that the hills may be only a short distance apart. The flesh is pure white, with a clean, smooth, white skin; and in quality they are excellent, always cooking dry and mealy. Splendid keepers and a first class sort. ½ bu. 75c, bu. \$1.70, sack, 100 lbs., \$2.70.

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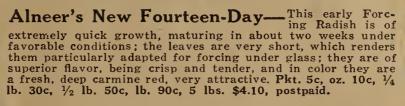
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# RADISH

Sow seed as early in the spring as possible in a highly enriched light, sandy soil. The quicker they are grown the more tender and mild in flavor.

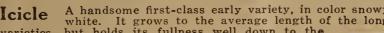


Saxa This is a European variety which has become very popular in the United States. It is one of the very earliest radishes and quite slow to run to seed. The tops are very small, the radishes are round and bright scarlet. We recommend it for first planting in the garden, and also for forcing in hotbed and greenhouse. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.

Cooper's Sparkler

been a great favorite, and with this variety the white portion extends much farther up than is the case with ordinary Scarlet Turnip White Tip Radish. The upper portion is a rich, brilliant red, showing in great contrast to the lower portion, which is a pure white, and adding greatly to its attractive appearance. The general contour is turnip-shape, and size medium, very uniform, with flesh crisp, tender and sparkling. The rapidity of its growth recommends "New Sparkler" for growing in the greenhouse, but it is equally as valuable for sowing in the vegetable garden. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.





Icicle

A handsome first-class early variety, in color snowy white. It grows to the average length of the long varieties, but holds its fullness well down to the tap-root, exceedingly attractive and excellent in every way. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c, 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.

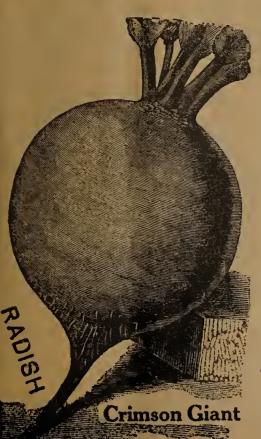
### Carmine or "Fire Ball"

Also called Rapid Forcing. This is one of the finest red forcing turnip radishes ever introduced, has a very small short top, color a brilliant carmine, crisp, solid, tender and of fine flavor. It is alike valuable for forcing under glass or outdoor planting early in the spring. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

Rosy Gem

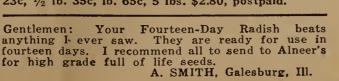
of the country. It is one of the earliest radishes in cultivation. Their shape is perfectly globular, with rich, deep scarlet top, blending into pure white at the bottom. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

Crimson Giant This radish is an entirely new type and differs radically from all varieties hitherto in cultivation, in so far as its roots attain more than double the size of those of other forcing varieties, without getting pithy or hollow. It is very early notwithstanding its size. Color crimson, flesh pure white. Fine for outdoors and forcing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 23c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c, 5 lbs. \$2.80, postpaid.



Cooper's Sparkler



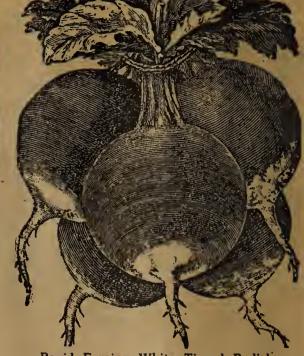




Extra Early Scarlet Globe White Tip Radish



SCARLET



Rapid Forcing White Tipped Radish



Improved Chartier

Alneer's Earliest Deep Scarlet This radish is a great favorite with market gardeners, on account of its size and attractive appearance. Its beautiful color is implied in its name. It makes very rapid growth, and is one of the sweetest and tenderest radishes. Market gardeners and private growers as well, find this variety to give entire satisfaction, either in point of profit or general good qualities. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.

Rapid Forcing White Tipped The color is scarlet and white. Extremely quick growing. It is invaluable for forcing under glass as well as for open ground culture. Shape and color beautiful. Its flavor is excellent. Market gardeners as well as private planters will find this a most excellent sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.

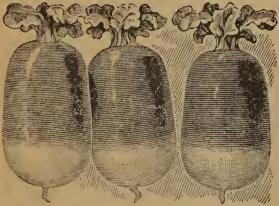
Alneer's Improved Chartier This fine radish, unlike most other varieties, is of American origin and undoubtedly the best variety for all purposes now in cultivation, possessing almost every good quality desired. Is perfectly adapted for very early growth, as well as for summer and fall crops. In quality it is unexcelled, being sweet and tender. Color deep pink or crimson at top, shading to pure white at tip. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.80, postpaid.

Extra Early Scarlet Globe White Tip
tremely quick growth, maturing in about three weeks. The leaves are very short making them particularly adapted for forcing under glass. Of superior flavor, crisp and tender. Color, fresh deep carmine red, very attractive and pleasing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.

French Breakfast Excellent sort of quick growth and very mild. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60, 5 lbs. \$2.80, postpaid.

White Strasburg This new radish has proved to be a most valuable summer variety. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.80 postpaid.

Model White "Box" (Also called Crystal Forcing.) This variety is much superior and distinct. Points of superiority—remarkably short top, rapid grower, perfect turnip shape, extra fine quality, and especially fit for growing under glass. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 23c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 75c.



French Breakfast

Model White Box

Radish

One of the finest of the long white radishes. Snow white, very brittle and crisp, of beautiful shape and rapid growth. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 65c, 5 lbs., \$3.00. Improved Long Scarlet Short Top or

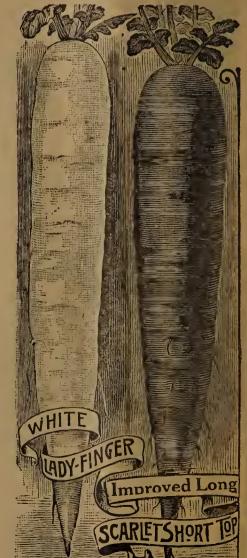
Long White Vienna or Lady Finger

Cincinnati Market

Our strain of this very popular long radish is the finest to be had on the market. In it we have, without exception, the very best long brittle, brightest scarlet radish we are acquainted with. Our seed has for years been grown for us by the same French grower, who has bred it up until now it is simply the perfection of a long red radish, and much better than the ordinary strain offered. It matures beautiful radishes, which are always brittle and sweet, 25 to .30 days from the sowing of the seed. Shape well shown in illustration herewith. It is undoubtedly the standard long red variety that will withstand the hot dry weather and remain firm and crisp and of fine flavor. For either the market or home gardener. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.80, post-paid.



White Strasburg Radish





Long Brightest Scarlet White

Tipped The brightest and handsomest scarlet color we have seen in any
radish; is ready for use in about 25 days when
planted outdoors, has a small top and no tendency to neckiness; it is mild flavored; may be
used for forcing or planting outdoors. Market
gardeners should use this for early planting, as
its color alone will make it sell. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,
1/4 lb. 23c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.10, postpaid.

Early Scarlet Turnip Early, quick growing, crisp and tender, excellent for summer use. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

## WINTER RADISHES

Mammoth White Chinese (New Celestial.) A large stump-rooted radish with white skin and flesh. Can be sown from May 1 to August 15 and will keep all winter in prime condition. A fine and very good sert. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

China Rose Winter Bright Rose color, flesh firm for winter use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

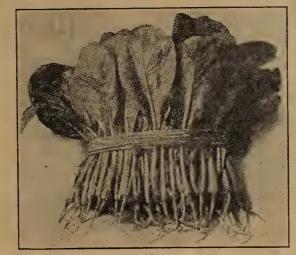
Long Black Spanish
One of the hardiest and best for winter use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

Round Black Spanish One of the best for winter use. Pkt. 5 oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.

California Mammoth White

Very large, white fleshed winter radish of excellent quality. Pkt.

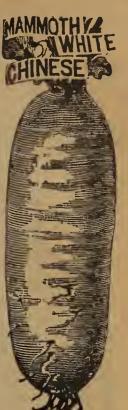
5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 80c.



# Tendergreen

## Mustard Spinach

A new, delicious, and healthful vegetable "greens" that is practically an all-season plant. It grows very quickly and is resistant to drought and extreme cold, flourishing in hot weather. The leaves are large, dark green, and oblong shaped, with a small rib. Ready to cut 25 to 30 days from seed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 25c, ½ lb. 40c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.80, postpaid.



Spinach

Sow in rich ground in drills from 12 to 15 inches apart. For early spring use seeds sown early in autumn. For summer use sow from early spring until August.



New Long-Standing Savoy-Leaved



## Alneer's Giant Thick Leaved Spinach

Alneer's Giant Thick Leaved
A strong growing and early maturing sort, with very large, thick leaves of fine, deep green color. One of the most desirable medium early sorts for home gardeners as well as truckers. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 17c, ½ lb. 27c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.85.



Prize Mammoth Sunflower

The Sunflower is now grown on the Prairie farms for feed. The seeds are nice for fattening poultry. Pkt. 4c, oz. 7c, ½ lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 5 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid.

New Long-Standing Savoy-Leaved

A fine strain of outstanding merit. It will stand in marketable condition 10 to 14 days longer before bolting than regular Savoy and is darker green. One of the advantages is that the inferior early shooting male plants are entirely lacking. It is intensely crumpled and blistered and very uniform. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 17c, ½ lb. 27c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.80.

Giant Nobel Smooth Leaf

A recent European introduction of high merit. Very valuable for market gardens and canning. Plants large, vigorous, and spreading. It is slow to form seed stalks, and an extremely heavy yielder. Leaves huge, thick, smooth, pointed, with rounded tip; deep green, tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 17c, ½ lb. 25c, 1 lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.85.

King of Denmark

This remarkable new spinach is far superior to any of the other sorts. Its principal advantage is that it stands two weeks longer before running to seed than any other variety. The leaves are large, rounded, Savoy or crumpled, of deep green color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 17c, ½ lb. 27c, lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$1.80.

Bloomsdale Savoy Leaved

Leaves are wrinkled like on Savoy Cabbage. More productive than ordinary sorts, and proved to be the hardiest of all varieties of spinach. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 14c, 1/2 lb. 22c, lb. 40c, 5 lbs. \$1.80.

An excellent sort, forms very large, thick dark green leaf, slightly curled. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 14c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 22c, lb. 40c, 5 lbs. \$1.80.

New Zealand (Tetragonia expansa)

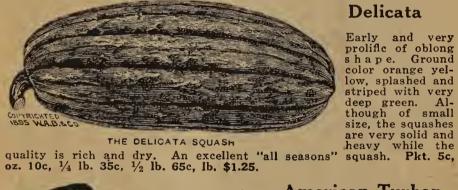
The stems and leaves are soft, thick, fleshy, and of a crystalline appearance. Started early in the spring, the plant will resist heat and make a strong growth during the summer. Pick off the leaves from the stem, cooking them alone and you will have delicious greens all summer long. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 35c, lb. 60c.

See pages 1 and 2 for bulk prices



Improved True Hubbard A general favorite; is more largely grown for winter use than any other variety; dry and excellent flavor. Our stock is true and very fine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Giant Summer Straightneck A Straightneck Strain of Golden Crookneck. Of the same size and color as those of the Crookneck but the neck is perfectly straight. This makes it easier to pack the fruits for shipment. 18 to 20 in. long and light yellow, sweet meat. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.



## Delicata

Early and very prolific of oblong shape. Ground color orange yellow, splashed and striped with very deep green. Alamall



Chicago Warted Hubbard It combines the fine points of the original strain with increased size, rougher shell, improved quality, thick flesh, fine color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Blue Hubbard The Blue Hubbard is an entirely distinct variety, resembling the Chicago Warted Hubbard in size and shape, but the color is a clear blue gray. The bright yellow thick flesh is fine grained, very dry, sweet and delightfully flavored. Desirable home or market sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

Golden Hubbard

The shell is warty, hard and strong and very beautiful orange red color. Shape like the old Hubbard. The flesh is deep orange and uniformly so to the rind. It cooks very dry, fine grained, good flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.



Table Queen
The shell is hard, smooth and ridged, averaging 6 to 8 inches in diameter. Vines vigorous and Ripens in the fall and keeps well into the winter. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, 1 lb. \$1.10.

Cocozelle

An Italian summer variety of bush habit. The fruits are oblong, 12 to 16 inches in length and 5 inches in diameter, slightly ribbed; color marbled yellow and dark green stripes. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 35c, ½ lb. 60c, lb. \$1.10.

American Turban

A fine table sort; flesh orange yellow and well flavored. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

Prolific Orange Marrow

The skin is of deep orange; the flesh is very thick, fine grained. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

The flesh is dry and sweet, of best quality. In a cool dry room it keeps in perfect condition until late in June. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

White Bush Scalloped An early summer variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

Yellow Bush Scalloped Similar to the preceding except in color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 85c.

Perfect Gem Small, yet desirable for both summer and winter use; productive, often yielding 15 to 20 to the vine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

Of mammoth size, often weighing over 150 pounds. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c. Mammoth Chili



Giant Golden Summer Crook-Neck Early and good quality, fruit of orange yellow. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, 1/2 lb. 50c, lb. 90c.

## **TOBACCO**

Connecticut Seed Leaf Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

Virginia Broad Leaf Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

Havana Imported

Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c.

SALSIFY or Vegetable Oyster Sow the seed early in the spring in rich, deep soil in drills fifteen inches apart, thinning out to six inches. The roots will be ready in October.

California White Giant

This is the largest, smoothest and most profitable in cultivation. Roots pure white in color, three times larger than the ordinary salsify, of very superior quality and fine flavor, flesh very fine grained, tender and of more pronounced and agreeable oyster-like flavor. Invaluable to market gardeners. The tops remain in good condition until late the following spring. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 50c, ½ lb. 90c, lb. \$1.60.

Mammoth Sandwich Island Introduced from the Sandwich Islands. Grows fully double the size of the Long, White, and is superior in quality. Pure white in color and invaluable to market gardeners. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 45c, 1/2 lb.

80c, lb. \$1.50.

OMAT

Tomatoes do best in warm, moderately rich soil. Sow seeds early in March in hot bed or house, in shallow boxes. About May 15 to 20 in this latitude the plants should be set out in the open ground, in rows four feet apart each way. All seeds we offer are from critically selected specimens of fruit and must prove of the greatest value to the planter.



Pritchard or Scarlet Topper As a result of the extensive experiments conducted by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture in their quest for a perfect disease, wilt and rust resisting tomato, several fine varieties have been developed; but, it is believed that this, their newest introduction is the most perfect sort yet pronewest introduction is the most perfect sort yet produced. An extra-early, large, smooth, and extremely solid Tomato of an intense scarlet color. Most productive and very attractive. Of a solidity that is truly remarkable, with very small seed pockets and no core. Its productiveness, particularly on rich soil, is amazing, and individual plants will bear 70 to 80 fruits each. It will yield 15 tons and more per acre. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 45c, ¼ lb. \$1.40, ½ lb. \$2.50, lb. \$4.50.



Marglobe Tomato

Marglobe-Wilt Resistant

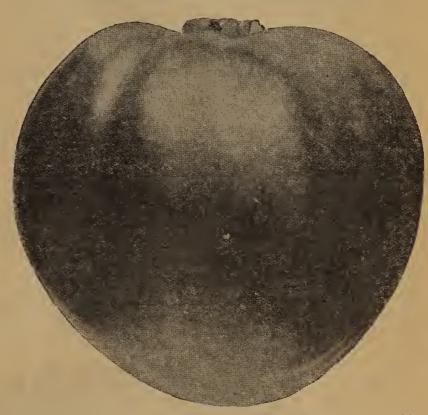
A new variety that is attracting a lot of attention. Resists nail-head rust and fusarium wilt. Has proven successful under the most severe tests. Pure scarlet in color, globular in shape, extra large, smooth, early, beautiful in appearance and very productive. Above all, the quality is most excellent. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 80c, ½ lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.90.



Spark's Earliana Tomato

Spark's Earliana Tomato

This new tomato is claimed by the originator to be very early, of large size, for so early a sort. Handsome shape, uniform size, of a beautiful red color. Wonderful in productiveness, is solid, of unsurpassed quality. Price, pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.



Oxheart is truly the giant of all tomatoes. It is smooth, thick, tender and almost seedless; frequently showing 2 inches thick without a seed cavity. Three pound specimens are quite common. A pink tomato with that delicious mild flavor that every lover of this fruit likes. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 30c, oz. 50c, ½ lb. \$1.75.



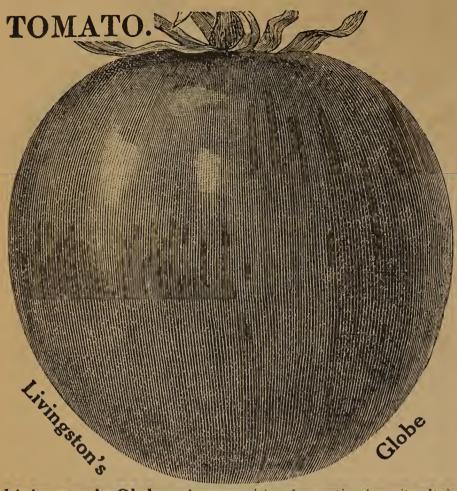
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John Baer A remarkable new variety of the extra early red or scarlet type. Not as early as Earliana, yet there are only a few days' difference, and John Baer yields a much heavier crop of larger, more uniform and more attractive fruits that in total it makes a much more profitable crop to grow than any other extra early variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

## Bonny Best

A fine early tomato of medium size. They are of bright scarlet color, always smooth and of remarkably uniform size and shape. An elegant sort for market and shipping. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.





Livingston's Globe

A new variety of exceptional merit. It is of beautiful globe shape, which permits of a greater number of slices being taken than from flat-fruited sorts. Among the first to ripen, although of large size, very smooth, firm fleshed, few seeds, ripens evenly; color a beautiful glossy rose, tinged purple. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 80c, ½ lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.90.

Ponderosa, No. 400

The vines are strong and vigorous and easily carry their enormous weight of fruit. Tomatoes weighing nearly four pounds have been grown and specimens weighing two and three pounds are of common occurrence. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10, 1/2 lb. \$2.10, lb. \$4.00.

Earliest June Pink

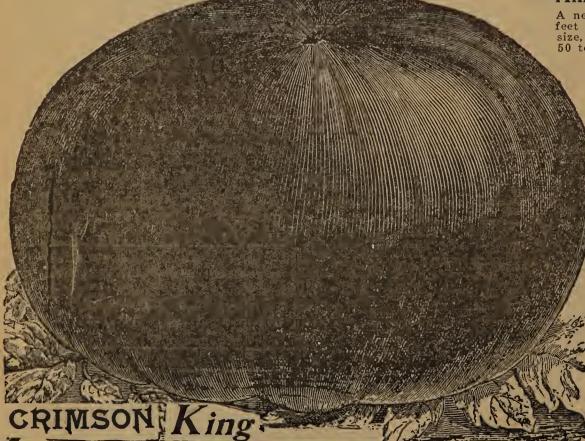
This is a variety, similar in habit to the famous "Earliana," differing only in its color which is pink in color instead of red. The plant is neat and compact, branching freely, with fruit hanging in clusters. Under exactly the same conditions as Earliana, the June Pink yielded exactly the same results. Earliness, blight resisting, long and heavy yielding, are its main characteristics. An excellent shipper on account of its reasonably tough skin. Will take a place at the head of the pink sorts. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 80c, 1/2 lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.90.

Crimson King Is more symmetrical in shape than the Ponderosa and is much thicker through from stem to blossom-end; in fact, so marked is this characteristic that it is frequently almost round. The color is brilliant scarlet-crimson, untinged with purple, and ripens up almost completely to the stem. The Crimson King, like the Ponderosa, is almost seedless. The flesh is firm and meaty, solid as beefsteak, and of superb quality. It is enormously prolific and early for so large a tomato. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, ½ lb. \$1.10, ½ lb. \$2.10, lb. \$4.00.





Giant Tree Great A new tomato of great merit. Will climb from 8 to 15 feet high, trained on trellis. Fruit is medium to large size, of meaty and luscious flavor. Immense bearers, from 50 to 100 pounds on vine. Pkt. 10c.





# TOMAT

Red Head

An exceptionally fine, large, bright red variety, as early as Chalk's Jewel and nearly as large as Stone and as productive; fruits nearly globe-shaped, very solid; vine of medium growth; an excellent canning variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 75c.

Alneer's New Giant Cardinal

This tomato is well named. The color is a rich cardinal red. The skin is so tough that it is a splendid keeper and shipper, and is less liable to crack in wet weather than any other large tomato. Unsurpassed for market or table. The plant is a strong grower, and is very productive. The fruit is free from core, and the seed spaces are small. The leaves are a rich, dark green color, and very luxuriant. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 85c, ½ lb. \$1.60, lb. \$3.00.

Yellow Pearshaped Used for preserving and pickling. Pkt. 7c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. \$1.10.

Peach Tomato The fruit resembles the form and color of the peach; of a beautiful deep rose, blended with amber. Fine for eating out of hand. Very productive. Pkt. 7c, oz. 30c, ½ lb. \$1.10.

Ground Cherry, Husk or Strawberry Tomato This is very much liked by many for preserves, for eating from the hand. The seed we offer is from the true yellow Ground Cherry and is very prolific. Pkt. 7c, oz. 40c.

Golden Trophy Size and shape like the well known Trophy, but in color a beautiful creamy yellow. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 95c.

Acme One of the earliest and handsomest varieties introduced. Fruit medium size, very solid and a great bearer; color distinct, being pink or dark crimson. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 75c, ½ lb. \$1.40, lb. \$2.75.

Alneer's Dwarf Champion Bush It is of peculiar growth and with thick stiff stems self-supporting, upright growth, allowing it to be planted much closer together than other varieties. It is very early; in fact, it being the earliest tomato we have ever grown. The fruit is of medium size, smooth, resembles the Acme, being of a purplish pink color, handsome and of fine quality and very productive. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. \$1.80, lb. \$3.50.

New Imperial Early large, solid and most productive, longest keeping, perfectly smooth and in every respect the very best tomato known today. In productiveness it is a wonder second to none. Color pinkish purple. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 75c, ½ lb. \$1.40,

Livingston's Royal Red

A first-class main crop tomato for the shipper, market and private gardener.

The beautiful red color of both skin and flesh of the Royal Red is of special value for canners. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

New Stone

The New Stone Tomato ripens for main crop; it is very large and of a bright scarlet color; exceedingly solid and firm fleshed; an excellent shipper; very best quality, fine for canning. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c, ½ lb. \$1.20, lb. \$2.20.

Livingston's New Dwarf Stone

A new fine sort. The strong upright growth permits of close planting, as near as 18 by 24 inches apart. Fruit large, beautiful shape, smooth, solid, and of most excellent quality. Pkt. 7c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 95c, ½ lb. \$1.80, lb. \$3.50.

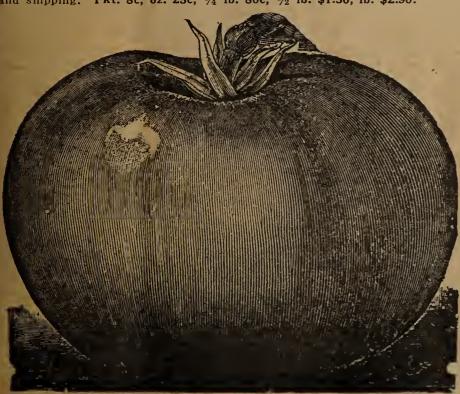
Chalk's Early Jewel The large handsome fruits are very solid and deep through, being almost round. Very early and productive; the plants are fairly loaded with fruit. Color, bright scarlet; very solid; of fine sweet flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 70c, ½ lb. scarlet; very sol \$1.30, lb. \$2.50.

Livingston's Beauty

The color is quite distinct, being a very dark crimson, shading in purple, the color alone bringing it into favor. It grows in clusters of four or five large fruits, are not liable to crack or rot after a rain; for shipping or early market cannot be excelled. Price per pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 75c, ½ lb. \$1.40, lb.

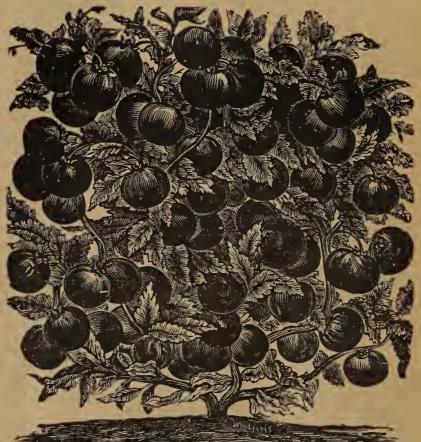
Norton Wilt-Resistant

This new tomato was selected from the famous Stone, producing a heavy yield of large, smooth, solid scarlet red fruit which ripens in about 120 days. It is somewhat larger than Stone, and highly recommended because of its wilt-resistant features. Excellent for the home garden, market gardeners and shipping. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c, ½ lb. 80c, ½ lb. \$1.50, lb. \$2.90.



Livingston's Beauty Tomato





Alneer's Dwarf Champion Bush Tomato



Norton Wilt-Resistant Stone

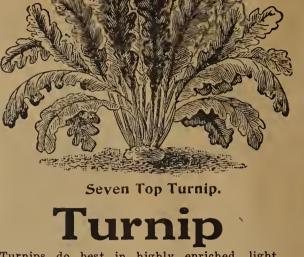


Thousand Headed Kale Will yield a much heavier crop than Dwarf Essex Rape. The seed can be sown early in April and thereafter till midsummer. Grows 3 to 4 feet high and is so covered with small whorls of leaves that the name of Thousand Headed Kale was given it. Sow broadcast, 3 lbs. per acre, or in rows 18 inches apart, using 1 lb. per acre, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 35c, lb. 60c, prepaid.



EXTRA EARLY PURPLE MILAN





Turnips do best in highly enriched, light sandy soil. For early crop sow the early varieties as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring in drills 12 to 15 inches apart; thin out to 6 or 8 inches. For a succession, sow at intervals of a fortnight, until the first of August. For fall crop sow after middle of August.

Purple Top Strap Leaf Early of rapid growth and mild flavor, the most popular variety in use. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c, 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid.

White Early Extra Milan It grows with wonderful rapidity, and is the earliest White Turnip in cultivation. Of splendid quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, \(^1/\_4\) lb. 25c, \(^1/\_2\) lb. 40c, lb. 70c.

Extra Early Milan An extra early purple top variety; is very sweet and mild. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 40c, lb. 70c.

Early Purple Top White Globe

A very attractive variety; very productive, flesh of fine quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 30c, lb. 55c, 5 lbs. \$2.50.

Snowball or White Globe

A desirable globe shaped variety, valuable for family and market. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c.

Top Munich Purple Very Early; ten days earlier than Purple Top. Fine flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c. 1/2 lb. 30c, lb. 50c.

Golden Globe Excellent for table use. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, ½ lb. 30, lb. 50c.

White Egg New; a quickly growing fall turnip; flavor is mild and sweet; its shape is egg-like, has fine appearance. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. pearance. Pl 30c, lb. 50c.

Seven Top

This sort is cultivated extensively in the south for the tops which are used for greens. In many sections it is a favorite green feed for stock and its use like Rape for a pasture crop is quite general. This sort is very hardy and the growth usually continues throughout the winter. The variety is not generally depended on for the root since the tops are produced so abundantly. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 18c, ½ lb. 30c, lb. 50c.

The seeds I got of you last year were certainly something fine. We had bigger cabbage and lettuce than any of our neighbors. We had a big crop of tomatoes also. I will always recommend your seeds.

Mrs. Chris. Ludwig.



Ruta Baga or Swedish Turnip

Ruta Bagas are largely grown as a farm crop for stock but are also excellent for table use. Sow seed from 10th to 20th of June, in drills two feet apart; thin to eight inches in the row.

Improved Am. Yellow Purple Top

An excellent yellow variety for either stock or table. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, ½ lb. 20c, ½ lb. 32c, lb. 60c.

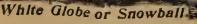
White Sweet American

This variety is a most excellent for other stock or attack or kind, grows to large size; very fine for stock or table. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 20c, 1/2 lb. 32c, lb. 60c.



Purple Top White Globe Turnip







# RELIABLE FIELD AND FARM SEEDS

Nothing is more important to the farmer than that the seed he sows is pure and clean. The seed should also be plump, and well ripened, so as to insure a good stand. First class, thoroughly recleaned seed, even though considerably more costly in the beginning, is really much cheaper in the end than the light chaffy grades generally sold at much lower prices, even if the latter is free from weed seeds.

Prices subject to change without notice, owing to the fluctuations of the market. Write for prices on large quantities.

# Selected Field Corn

QUARTS POSTPAID.

1/4 bu. and up not prepaid.

Hand picked, Tipped, and Butted.

Northern Grown.

Alneer's Golden Champion The great prize-winning and most uniformly distinct type of Yellow Dent Corn. Fifty years of careful selection has resulted in remarkable evenness in appearance of ears. It is more accurately described as follows: Ears 9 to 10 inches long, 7 inches around, 18 to 24 rows with narrow space between rows; deep grains with small cob well filled at butt and tip. We offer a very choice selection of seed grown from pedigree seed selections for years. It has won first prizes in competition. Price shelled, qt. 45c, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Pride of Illinois

Ears are borne uniformly at about four feet from the ground, high enough to get the sun and air, low enough to be protected from windstorms. The ears are large, 10 to 12 inches long, nearly cylindrical, holding their size well to the end, are well rounded or capped over at both ends and have that well groomed appearance of thoroughbred corn. The fine shaped grains, which are set in straight rows, are quite deep and broad at the germ end, thus making a solid or heavy ear, and they are of such rich yellow color and uniform size that it is surely the handsomest corn we have ever seen. Qt. 45c, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Reid's Large Yellow Dent Grows to a good size, and is pronounced one of the best varieties known and a great yielder. A fine sort. Qt. 45c, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Iowa Gold Mine

Early; ears of good size and symmetrical, color bright golden yellow, grain very deep; small cob. Seventy-two pounds ear corn makes sixty pounds shelled corn. Qt. 45c, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Iowa Silver Mine (White Dent) A wonderful producer; and a very small white cob. Ears contain sixteen to twenty rows and stalks often bear two ears. Matures in about 100 days. Qt. 45c, 1/4 bu. \$1.30, 1/2 bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Early Murdock Golden Dent also called Wisconsin 13. A yellow dent variety of considerable prominence, individuality, immense productiveness, fine height, large superb ears, large kernels, small cob and attractive appearance. It is a splendid variety for both light and heavy soils. Has strong constitutional vigor. Matures in about 95 days. Qt. 45c, 1/4 bu. \$1.30, 1/2 bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Improved Leaming Dent variety. Ears of good size, set low down and always two ears to each stalk; very small cob with deep grains of a rich golden color. Matures early; a good yielder. Qt. 45c, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

Early Yellow Yankee Flint Corn Has long ears, with a smooth yellow, hard grain; makes nice roasting ears. Is a fine milling sort. Qt. 50c, ½ bu. \$1.35, ½ bu. \$2.60, bu. \$4.50.

Red Cob Fodder or Ensilage Corn

dairy regions so extensively as almost to exclude all of the other socalled Fodder Corns and the verdict is that it is the best. It is sweet,
tender and juicy; has short joints, abundance of leaves, and grows
to a great height, furnishing more than double the bulk and much
more nourishment than ordinary field corn. Price not prepaid,

1/4 bu. \$1.25, 1/2 bu. \$1.85, 1 bu. \$3.50.

## KAFFIR CORN

Kaffir Corn One of the best forage plants. Makes splendid feed for poultry, fed either in the grain or ground and cooked. Foliage and stalk make excellent forage. Cultivate the same as common corn, requiring four or five pounds of seed per acre. Not prepaid: 1/4 bu. 80c, 1/2 bu. \$1.50, bu. \$2.75. By mail, prepaid,

## FETERITA

Feterita

A new non-saccharine sorghum, maturing its crop 20 to 30 days earlier than Kaffir Corn, making it well adapted to sections with short seasons. Feterita grows about 5 feet high, branching freely from the roots and producing numerous large heads of white grain. The fodder is much finer than corn stalks, and is highly relished by all stock. For grain sow 5 pounds of seed per acre in hills, or drills. For fodder, sow 25 lbs. per acre, broadcast or in rows. Per lb. 40c, prepaid; not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$1.00, 25 lbs. \$1.90, 50 lbs. \$3.75.

## **Choice Seed Oats**

Change Your Seed Oats and Double Your Crop

Regenerated Select Swedish Oats Will yield from 80 to 115 bushels to the acre; are not liable to rust. Straw stands up well. Large, long heads. Heavy plump meat of grain. Price bu. \$1.25, 2 bu. \$2.40, 5 bu. \$5.75, 10 bu. \$11.00.

New Golden Fleece This is a splendid new oats. The some. The straw is very strong and stands up well. The blade is nearly double the size of ordinary oats, which attests the vigor and productive capacity of the strain. Golden Fleece is remarkable for its great stooling capacity. The yield of Golden Fleece oats has reached as much as 145 bushels per acre. Price, bu. \$1.25, 2 bu. \$2.40, 5 bu. \$5.75, 10 bu. \$11.00.

## SORGHUM OR SUGAR CANE

Improved Early Amber The earliest variety almost invariably ripens seed with us when planted early in May. The seed is excellent as a poultry food. Lb. 40c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid, ½ bu. \$1.20, ½ bu. \$2.00, bu. \$3.50.

## **BROOM CORN**

Broom Corn, Improved Evergreen This is the most popular variety, the brush being firm and of good length and retaining the light green coloring when properly cured. Per lb. 40c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid; 10 lbs. \$1.30, 25 lbs. \$3.25, 100 lbs. \$9.00.

## SOY BEANS

Manchu. A heavy hay producer Not prepaid. 1/4 bu. 50c, 1/2 bu. 90c, 1 bu. \$1.60.

## FIELD PEAS

White Canada Peas More used than any other. Not prepaid. Per 1/4 bu. \$1.10, 1/2 bu. \$2.10, bu. \$4.00.

## DWARF ESSEX RAPE

A forage plant of great value, which can be sown at any time in May, June, or July; requires about 5 or 6 lbs. of seed per acre. Makes a grand pasturage for sheep, as well as for other stock. It can be cut up and shocked for winter feeding if permitted to grow its full size. Is not injured by frost and will furnish feed until winter. 100 lbs. \$6.50, 50 lbs. \$3.35, 25 lbs, \$1.85, 10 lbs. \$1.00, not prepaid; by mail, per lb 25c. per lb. 25c.

## SPELTZ OR EMMER

It is a most wonderful new grain which we are sure will prove of great value. Speltz is good for pasture. Speltz fattens in the green state, is a green grass hay food. Speltz is also a hay. It will yield 40 to 60 bushels of grain to the acre, equal to corn, or barley, oats, rye or wheat, of high feeding value, and tons of straw hay almost equal to timothy for feeding cattle. Sow it at the rate of 1½ bushels to the acre. Price, lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 60c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid, ½ bu. 55c, bu. \$1.75.

Frize Mammoth Sunflower

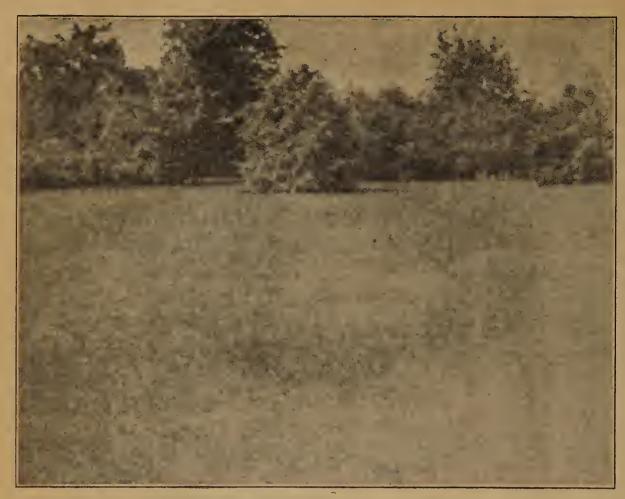
feed. The seeds are nice for fattening poultry. Pkt. 4c, oz. 7c,

1/4 lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 5 lbs. \$1.00.

## **VETCHES**

Sandvetch (Winter Vetch.) Europe. The Sandvetch prospers in the most barren soils, on those too poor to grow the winter tare. Six tons per acre of green forage have been harvested in one cut in poor silicious soils with second cut for seed in August, alone or with a cereal, rye preferred, as this Vetch reaches a height of 3½ to 5 feet, and must have a support. Sow 60 to 75 pounds per acre. Lb. postpaid, 35c, at buyers expense: 10 lbs. \$2.00, 25 lbs. \$4.60, 50 lbs. \$9.00.

Note. At prices quoted on field and grass seeds, etc., by the  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  bu. and bushel, 10 pounds and up, not prepaid, we make no charge for bags and deliver free on board cars in this city. The buyer pays the express or freight charges.



Rockford Park, Lawn Grass

# **GRASS SEEDS**

Pounds, Postpaid

1/4 bu. and up not prepaid

Timothy, (Phleum pratense.) The most valuable of all the grasses for hay, especially in the north. Thrives best on moist, loamy soils of medium tenacity. It should be cut just when the blossom falls. Sow early in the spring or fall, at the rate of 12 pounds per acre, if alone, but less if mixed with other grasses.

Kentucky Blue Grass 1 lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$3.20, 25 lbs. \$7.50.

Red Top 1 lb. 40c, 5 lbs. \$1.65, postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$2.30, 25 lbs. \$5.50.

Orchard Grass 1 lb. 35c, 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$2.00, 25 lbs.

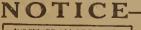
Rye Grass, English Perennials 1 lb. 30c, 5 lbs. \$1.15 postpaid. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$1.40, 25 lbs. \$3.00.

## **BROMUS INERMIS**

Most Valuable New Grass Introduced in the Last Twenty-five Years Bromus adapts itself to nearly all conditions of soil and climate and yields enormous quantities of hay and makes abundant pasture. Defies drought and is not affected by frost. A decided success. It forms a very thick, dense sod and is a permanent grass not killed out by variations of weather. Price, postpaid, lb. 40c. At buyer's expense, 10 lbs. \$2.60, 25 lbs. \$6.25, 50 lbs. \$12.00.

## SUDAN GRASS

Sudan Grass (Andropogon sorghum) Sow early in May, and the crop should be ready for the first cutting in July. Broadcast 18 to 25 lbs. per acre. Sow in rows 4 to 6 lbs. per acre. Lb. 35c. Not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$1.30, 25 lbs. \$2.90, 50 lbs. \$5.65, 100 lbs. \$11.00.



Timothy



Increase your yield of Alfalfa and Sweet Clover by inoculating seed with NITRAGIN—full instructions on every package.

 $\frac{1}{2}$  bu. size, 35c.; 1 bu. size, 65c;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  bu. \$1.40, postpaid. Same Bacteria used for Alfalfa and Sweet Clover.

## NOTICE

If you are in the market for large quantities of farm seeds, write for Special Prices.

# Lawn Grass

Rockford Park Mixture (Extra

Fine Mixed) Is unsurpassed for first class and permanent results. This is due to the fact that we use only the very finest varieties of the most suitable grasses for making an even, thick mat of grass. The various grasses which compose this well-balanced blend are fine-bladed and deep rooting, sure to produce the best results under the varied conditions of soil and climate met in America. It is all plump, heavy seed, free from chaff or weed seeds, weighing 25 to 27 pounds per measured bushel. A small quantity of White Clover is included in order to help thicken the bottom of the sod. We recommend to sow Rockford Park Mixture, using 1 lb. of seed for a plot of 10x20 feet, or 200 square feet. Lb. 45c, 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid; not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$3.20, 25 lbs. \$7.50.

## Shady Place Lawn Mixture

On nearly all lawns there are shaded, bare and unsightly spots on which the owners have difficulty in getting a good stand of grass. For such places this mixture is adapted. It is composed of grasses which naturally grow in shaded places. They are the finest and most costly of all grasses. Lb. 55c, 3 lbs. \$1.55, postpaid.

White Dutch Clover The clover in general use for lawns. Being of a creeping habit it prevents the soil from being washed away by rains. Also used in permanent pastures. Price per lb. 55c, 5 lbs. \$2.55, postpaid; by freight or express, not prepaid, 10 lbs. \$4.20, 25 lbs. \$10.00.

# **CLOVER SEED**

Lb. 45c, not prepaid  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. \$4.75, Medium Red Clover, Fancy bu. \$18.00.

Lb. 45c, not prepaid 1/4 bu. \$5.50, bu. Alsyke or Hybrid Clover \$21.00.

Sweet Clover Bokhara (White) Plants grow high, with small white flowers. Valuable for pasture or hay. Sow 15 lbs. to the acre. Per lb. 35c, not prepaid 1/4 bu. \$1.90, bu. \$7.50.

## **ALFALFA**

Alfalfa (American Grown.) Can be cut 3 to 5 times a year, and produces from 3 to 7 tons of hay per acre. Sow seed from 15 to 25 lbs. per acre.

Hardy North-western Lb. 50c, not prepaid, 1/4 bu. \$5.35, bu. \$21.00.

Grimm Alfalfa Repeated comparative tests prove conclusively that "Genuine Grimm Alfalfa" is the hardiest, most lasting and most productive of all varieties; therefore "The Most Profitable To Grow."

Genuine Northwest Grown Certified not prepaid, 1/4 bu. \$6.20, bu. \$24.00.

## MILLETS

German or Golden Millet Fine for hay, cut as it begins to head, before blooming. Ready for use in 65 days. Sow 48 lbs. per acre. Not prepaid, ½ bu. \$1.30, ½ bu. \$2.40, bu. \$4.40.

Japanese Millet Widely known as the Billion Dollar, also Barnyard grass. Attains a height of 7 ft. Yield per acre is 6 to 8 tons of cured hay. May be used either for forage, or silo. Sow 12 to 15 lbs. per acre. Not prepaid, 1/4 bu. \$1.30, 1/2 bu. \$2.40, bu. (36 lbs.) \$4.40.

## BUCKWHEAT

Buckwheat—New Japanese Should be sown the middle of June, using from one to three pecks of seed per acre. This new sort has proven to be much earlier and more productive than any other variety. Grains very large and of rich brown color. It excels all in yield and earliness. Lh. 25c. postpaid; not prepaid, ½ bu. 80c, ½ bu. \$1.25, bu. \$2.25.

## NEW VIRGINIA PEANUTS

The Peanut is easily grown in every state. It requires but little care beyond that of thorough cultivation. A light soil is preferable. Plant about the same time as corn. Rootlets shoot into the ground from the vine, and peanuts are formed at the end under the surface. By mail, 1/4 lb. 10c, 1/2 lb. 16c, lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 50c, 5 lbs. \$1.10.



## With Description and Directions for Cultivation

Our collection of Flower Seeds embraces all varieties worthy of cultivation, including Annuals, Biennials and Perenniais. For convenience we have arranged them in alphabetical order. If Annual, Biennial or Perennial it is noted in description. Our Flower Seeds are fresh and can be relied upon to give entire satisfaction. They are put up in very neat packages and sent prepaid by mail.

Abronia Umbellata

A trailer of Verbena-like habit of growth, with clusters of sweet scented flowers. Sow in house in April or open ground in May. Half hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c.

One of the best of the everlasting flowers; culture same as for Asters. Half hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c. Acroclinium

Adlumia (Mountain Fringe, Allegheny Vine) A beautiful climb-ful habit; fine for hanging baskets. Sow in house in April. Hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c.

Adonis Finely cut foliage. Flower blood red. Does well in partial shade. Hardy annuals; scarlet; one foot. Pkt. 5c.

Ageratum Excellent for bouquets. Color, lavender, blue and white. Half hardy annuals. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Agrostemma (Rose of Heaven) An attractive free-flowering hardy perennial, producing bright colored flowers on long, slender stems like a single pink; blooms the first season; fine for cutting 1 to 2 feet. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Alonsoa An attractive bedding plant with remarkable brilliant scarlet flowers, in bloom from July till frost. Removed to the house they bloom well during winter. Height, 18 inches. Half hardy annual. Alonsoa myrtifolia. Pkt. 5c.



Aquilegia, Long-Spurred Hybrids



Alyssum Sweet

## **ALYSSUM**

An easily grown annual succeeding in any ordinary garden soil in full sun. The plants bloom freely for many months, particularly where the summers remain reasonably cool. Sweet Alyssum is unsurpassed for edging and planting in the rock garden.

Sweet (Maritimum) This is the old-fashioned Sweet Alyssum which was a favorite generations ago yet has retained its popularity to this date. A garden without this lovely sweet-scented flower is not complete. The plants are of dwarf, spreading growth about 10 in. tall. The small white flowers are produced in masses on innumerable spikes. Fine for the rock garden and for edgings. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c, oz. 25c.

Lilac Queen

The plants are of dwarf, compact, upright growth, 4 to 5 in.
tall. The flower clusters are composed of small, rich lilac florets which become lighter as they age.
Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c, ½ oz. 35c.

Little Gem

This is without question the best pure white, dwarf Alyssum. The plants make a dense growth spreading but slightly, attaining a height of only 3 to 4 in. They bloom so profusely that they merit their surname "Carpet of Snow." Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 25c, 1/2 oz. 35c.

Alyssum Hardy Perennial Saxatile Compactum

The plants grow about 9 inches high; of easiest culture and very free blooming. Broad masses of bright yellow flowers in early Spring. An excellent plant for the rockery or front of borders. Pkt. 10c.

# AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

Hardy perenniels. Attractive plants with large, long-spurred flowers borne on slender, wiry stems during May and June. Excellent for garden display and cutting. 3 ft.

Long-Spurred Hybrids, Mixed Extrallong-spurred. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 80c.

Finest Mixed A grand mixture. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 40c, 1/2 oz. 75c.

Anemone (Wind Flower)

A pleasing hardy perennial; easily grown from seed, producing large flowers; few plants compare with them in brilliancy; fine for bouquets. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Amaranthus
Ornamental foliage plants, very graceful.
Sow seed in house, plant out about May
annuals.

Tri-color (Joseph's Coat) Leaves red, yellow and green. Pkt. 5c. Caudatus (Love Lies Bleeding) Pkt. 5c.

Asperula Azurea Setosa

A blue flower growing 15 inches high, bearing in open ground in May. Hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c.



Snap-Dragon



ARCTOTIS

(Blue-Eyed African Daisy)

Hardy Annual
Grandis Quickly forms
branched bushes
2 to 3 feet high; flowers pure
white on the upper surface, the
reverse of the petals being lilac
blue. Easily grown, blooming
all summer until frost. Valuable for cutting. Withstands
hot, dry weather better than
many annuals. Pkt. 10c.

# **Antirrhinums**

or Snapdragons

The Antirrhinum, better known as Snap-Dragon, is of very easy culture. Sow in the house in April, transplant in ground in May.

Fine Mixed Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c, oz. 80c.

Maximum Giant Flowered

These are a wonderful advance in size over all other varieties, each bloom measuring 2 to 3 inches across.

Defiance Brilliant scarlet. Pkt. 10c.

Old Gold Deep golden yellow. Pkt. 10c.

Purple King Rich purple. Pkt. 10c.

Snowflake Pure snow white, yellow tube. Pkt. 10c.

The Rose Rose pink. Pkt. 10c.

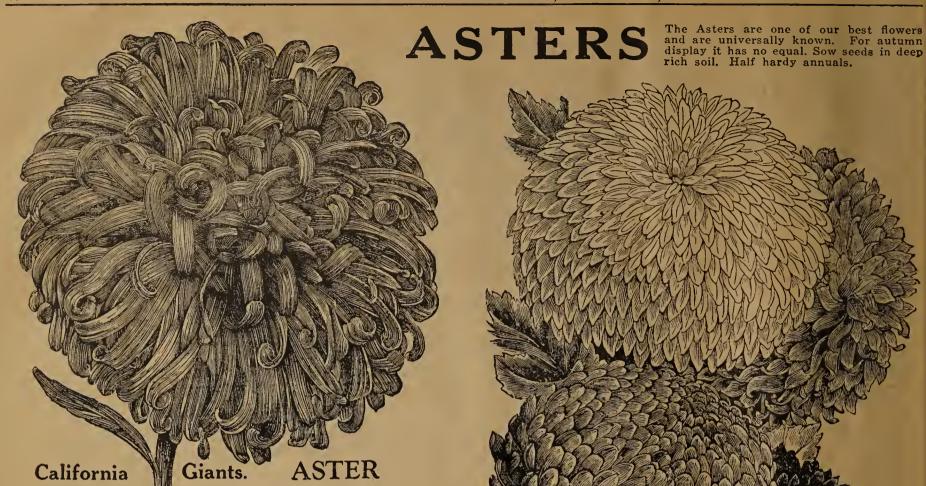
Semi-Tall Sorts, 18 to 20 inches
Are particularly good for bedding, as they require no staking. The flowers are most wonderful, in many new shades and tints.

Amber Queen Canary yellow overlaid chamois pink, gold lip. Pkt. 10c.

Firebrand Fiery orange scarlet. Pkt. 10c.

Peerless Pink Soft shell pink. Pkt. 10c.

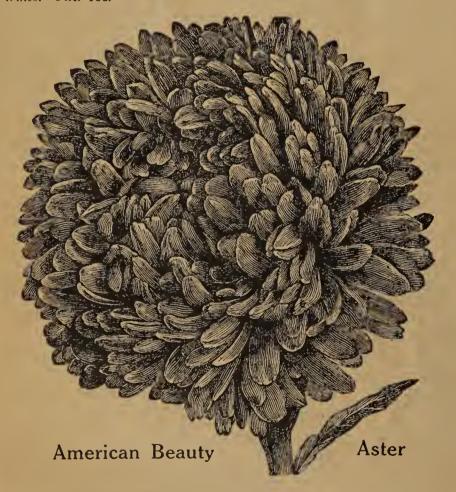
Antirrhinum Collection. One packet each of the above 8 named varieties for 60c.



## New California Giants

A new strain, of the beautiful fluffy Comet type of flower of the Crego Asters, earliness is combined with the giant size and vigor of the American Beauties. The flowers are full-centered and substantial, averaging 5 to 6 inches across, produced on long stout stems unsurpassed for cut flowers.

Peach Blossom. Pkt. 10c. Dark Purple. Pkt. 10c. Deep Rose. Pkt. 10c. White. Pkt. 10c.



## American Beauty (Early Flowering)

Attains a height of 2 to 3 feet of branching habit. Flowers large, borne on long, stout stems. Planted with Crego and Giant Branching will bloom at same time.

Azure Fairy, Azure Blue or Dar	k Lavender. Pkt10c
Deep Rose. Pkt	
September Beauty, delicate fles	pink. Pkt. 10c
Peach Blossom. Pkt.	10c
White. Pkt	10c



75 varieties of asters, including many new and fancy strains. We know of no better mixture. Pkt. 10c, oz. \$1.00.

Finest Double Mixed Colors Pkt. 5c, oz. 60c.

American Branching The branching habit is accompanied with great vigor of growth and profusion of bloom. The flowers are very large, very double, borne on long, stiff stems, and the colors clear and handsome.

Fire King (Crimson)
Lavender nson) Pure White Pink
Peerless Yellow All Colors Mixed
Any of the above: Pkt. 7c, oz. \$1.00.

## Queen of the Market

The best early aster, usually in full bloom two weeks before most other sorts begin to blossom. Of graceful spreading habit.

White, 7c.

Pink, 7c.

Mixed, all colors. Pkt. 7c, oz. 75c.

## New Wilt-Resistant Asters

Aster growers have been troubled with pests of recent years. This family has been widely attacked by the Fusarium Wilt, which condition has been overcome in growing the Wilt Resistant Strains which, although grown in infected soil, proved immune from the disease. Aster Yellows is also an enemy. This has been found to be transferred to the plants by tiny insects called leaf hoppers. The only means to overcome this is to grow the plants under a cheesecloth cover.

## Alneer's Giant Branching Wilt-Resistant

Peach Blossom, 10c. Dark Purple, 10c.

Deep Rose, 10c. White, 10c.

Alneer's Finest Double Wilt-Resistant Strain Mixed Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. \$1.10, oz. \$2.00.

Large flowers of strikingly beautiful ruby-red. The best pure red. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 75c. Heart of France

Aster Wilt Resistant Golden Sheaf offered, and the only one that is wilt resistant. The deepest yellow aster yet The flowers are fully double, with an attractive crest-like center.

The deepest yellow aster yet The flowers are Pkt. 15c.







Sunshine Aster

King Aster
This magnificent class of Asters is distinct from all others in the character of the flower. The petals are long narrow and folded lengthwise, as if quilled, giving a very graceful and charming effect. Mixed, all colors. Pkt. 10c.

Daybreak (Improved American Victoria) Aster

The Daybreak class forms strong bushy plants of very even growth. The full round flowers grow on strong, stiff upright stems. Extremely valuable for bedding. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Sunshine Aster
You will be impressed and delighted with the striking beauty of this new Aster. The flowers, which measure from 4 to 6 inches in diameter, are half-double and exhibit all the grace and beauty of the single Aster, greatly enhanced by a cushion center of tiny quills of a contrasting color. Mixed, all colors. Pkt. 10c.

# Hardy Aster

Michaelmas Daisy Tall-Flowering Mixture. The tall growing, late fall flowering kinds in blue and mauve shades. If sown early they often flower the first season. Pkt. 10c.

# Balsam Lady's Slipper



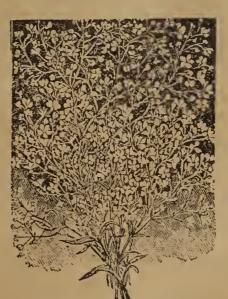
CHOICE Double Mixed BALSAM
Balsam (Lady's Slipper, Touch-Me-

Not) An old favorite, producing gorgeous masses of beautiful brilliant colored flowers in the greatest profusion, double as roses and in every shade of color. Sow in house in April, transplant in open ground in May.

Double Camelia-Flowered Finest mixed.

Choicest Double Mixed Colors Pkt. 5c, oz. 35c, oz. 60c.





GVPSOPHILA Baby's Breath

Baby's Breath (Gypsophila) The flowers are small, starlike, and borne in feathery sprays which are highly esteemed for cut flowers, as they lend a most graceful effect when combined in bouquets with Sweet Peas. Successive plantings of seed should be made a few weeks apart to furnish a continuous supply of flowers. Pkt. 5c. oz. 25c.

Paniculata White flowers, fine for bouquets; one of the favorite hardy perennials. Blooms first year if sown early; 3 feet. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c, ½ oz. 40c.



The Crego Asters

The very best late flowering Asters in existence; enormous flowers of the Hohenzollern type, borne on good stems. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c, oz. \$1.00.



Bird of Paradise (Poinciana Gillesi)

The color of the flower is a golden yellow, measuring 2½ inches across, and are produced in very large trusses. The most beautiful part of the flower is the large pestils, which are spread out in fan-like form, and are of bright crimson color. If the seeds are started early it will produce blooms in great profusion the first year. Pkt. 10c.



Brachycome (Swan River Daisy)

Free flowering, dwarf growing annual, covered during the greater part of the summer with a profusion of pretty blue or white flowers; suitable for edgings, small beds or pot culture. Pkt. 5c.

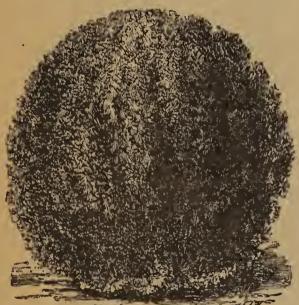


NEW DWARF BUTTERFLY FLOWER

Butterfly Flower, or Poor Man's Orchid A new dwarf, most valuable schizanthus, forming pyramidal plants only about a foot high, bearing countless butterfly-like flowers larger than in the ordinary type of schizanthus. The schizanthus has been called "the poor man's orchid," on account of its graceful and attractive shape. It is of easy culture. Pkt. 5c.



BLUE DAISY (Agathea Coelestis) Grows about 1½ feet high, of branching habit, producing an abundance of clear, sky-blue flowers. Very pretty for summer decoration in the garden, and equally desirable for winter blooming. Seed may be started in the house in shallow boxes containing rich garden soil, covered with sand and kept moist. Packet, 10c.



Burning Bush

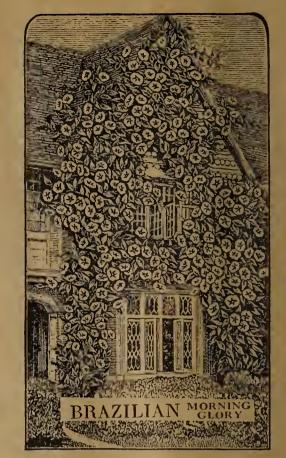


Cardinal Climber



## Blue Lace Flower

(Didiscus caerulea) This beautiful Australian (Didiscus caerulea) This beautiful Australian annual Lace Flower grows into an upright, very much branched plant of about 2 feet in height. Each branch ends in an umbel of light sky-blue flowers which spread out in an umbrella-like fashion, crowning each shoot with a beautiful and delicate head of flowers. Each individual bloom in the umbel is carried on a thin and long tube, giving the flower-heads a delicate and dainty touch. The name Lace Flower is most appropriate since the blooms resemble in their quaint and artistic arrangement the most delicate and dainty lace. Pkt. 10c.



Brazilian Morning Glory

This desirable climber makes a thick, dense growth of great lobed leaves, and is brilliant with an endless profusion of immense clusters of rosy-colored flowers, with a satiny pink star in the center of each. Pkt. 10c.

Balloon Vine (Love in a Puff) A climbing plant, side or outside decoration. Sow out of doors in May. Half hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c.

Bartonia Aurea Very fine yellow flowers, thistle-like foliage; annual. Pkt. 5c.

Browallia

A handsome free blooming plant, covered with beautiful blue flowers. Sow seed in house in April, transplant in open ground in May. Mixed. Pkt. 5c. Browallia

Burning Bush (Kochia Scoparia) This ornamental annual plant grows quickly from seed sown in the open ground, when the trees are coming out in leaf, and the plants are always of the rounded or globe-like form shown in our illustration. The stems are clothed with slender light green leaves. Early in the fall the ends of the shoots are set thickly with small bright scarlet flowers—the bushy plants resembling balls of fire. Most highly recommended. Pkt. 5c.

Catchfly

A showy fine blooming, hardy annual of the easiest culture. Sow seeds out of doors in May. Mixed. Pkt.

(Silene)

## Coix Lachrymae (Job's Tears)

The seed is frequently used as an old-fashioned remedy for sore throat, goiter and teething babies. It is strung on a linen thread and worn around the neck as a chain. Pkt. 5c.

Cardinal Climber This is a very attractive rapid-grower, attaining a height of twenty feet and literally covered with a blaze of fiery cardinal red flowers from mid-summer to frost. Flowers are about one inch in diameter and are borne in clusters five to seven blooms each. They should be soaked in water a few hours before sowing and not planted outside until about May. Pkt. 10c.

Calliopsis

A most brilliant hardy annual. The flowers on the outer edge are yellow, having a dark purple center. Treat same as Aster. Fine Mixed, Packet, 5c.

Radiata Two colors mixed, a solid rich dark brown red, and the same color freely spotted with gold. The plant is very dwarf, compact and symmetrical, and a perfect bouquet of bloom all the time. Perfectly charming. Pkt. 5c.

## COREOPSIS

Lanceolata Grandiflora A very ennial, blooming the first year and producing on long stems a succession of rich bright yellow flowers two to three inches across. Very valuable for cutting. Seed may also be sown in fall outdoors. About two feet high. SINGLE, Pkt. 5c.

DOUBLE-FLOWERING, Pkt. 10c.

Calliopsis.





Calendula (Pot Marigold)

# **CALENDULA**

Orange King A very select strain of this popular flower.

Double, dark orange red blossoms average over 3 inches across under ordinary field cultivation. For the florists, this strain is a money-maker. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 40c.

Lemon Queen Large. well-rounded full lemon yellow. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 40c.

Best Mixed Showy, free-flowering, hardy annuals, growing in any good garden soil, producing a fine effect in beds or mixed borders and continuing in bloom until killed by frost. One foot high. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 30c.

## Canary Bird Flower (Tropae-

olum) One of the most desirable climbing plants. It is of rapid growth.
Sow seed same as Aster. Pkt. 5c.



Candytuft-Mixed

Candytuft

A most popular hardy annual, almost equally as sweet as sweet as sweet Alyssum; of easy culture; very good for bouquet making. Cultivate as Aster. Mixed, Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 30c.



German Carnation

Carnation—German

of color and fragrance. Sow seed in the house. Half hardy. Finest double. Mixed. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 60c.



Marguerite Carnation

Carnation Marguerite

This new race of Carnations, unlike all others, blooms in about three months from the time of sowing the seed and continues to flower until checked by frost. They embrace a fine range of brilliant colors, are very free flowering. Best mixed. Pkt. 8c. 1/4 oz. 50c.



## Canna (New Dwarf French

Hybrid) Large flowering. Foliage luxuriant and varied in color from the brightest pea green to dark rich bronze. But their greatest merit consists in the form and great size and dazzling brilliancy of their flowers. The colors range through all shades of yellow to richest crimson and vermilion. Best mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Canna (Indian Shot) Having foliage of tropical luxuriance, valuable for its ornamental foliage. Sow seed early, in house, transplant in open ground after middle of May. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c.



creome Pungens (Giant Spider Plant)

The flowers are of a bright rose color. The long slender seed-pods are carried upon still longer stipules, giving the effect of a many-legged spider, with the bright bunch of flowers as the head. It grows freely from seed, thrives luxuriantly and blooms all summer. It is also one of the very best honey-producing plants. Pkt. 5c. CAMPANULA (Bellflower)



Canterbury Bells

Campanula (Canterbury Bells) Very fine perenusually sown in the fall, but if sown very early in the spring will flower the same season. Mixed. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c.

Canterbury Bells (Cup and Saucer) An exceeding-variety of Campanula. The bell or trumpet of the flower grows extra large, is the same color as the flower, presenting the form of a cup and saucer. Colors are blue, rose, lilac, white. Pkt. 10c.

New Annual Canterbury Bells Many years of careful selection have at last given us an Annual Canterbury Bell which blooms from seed in less than six months. It should now be possible to have this beautiful flower in bloom at almost any time of the year. The plant grows from two to two and a half feet tall, each plant having from six to eight spikes of blooms. We offer this in mixture, only, containing the following colors: dark blue, light blue, pink, rose and white. Pkt. 10c.



Centaurea Imperialis Centaurea

Showy, hardy plants, many having beautiful silver foliage, good for ribbon bordering. Sow early in house and transplant out doors in May. Half hardy annuals.

Imperialis Mixed An excellent sweet scented variety, also called Sweet Sultan. The flowers are finely laciniated and are about the size of a carnation. They have long stems and keep well after cutting. Colors range through white, rose, lilac, purple and yellow. Hardy annuals; about eighteen inches high. Pkt. 5c.

Cyanus (Bachelor's Button) Mixed. Pkt.5c,

Candidissima
Silver White, deep cut foliage, fine for bedding.
Pkt. 10c.
Silver foliage variety, fine for bedding. Pkt. 10c.



**CELOSIA** (Cockscomb.)

## Celosia (Pride of Castle

Gould) This new ostrich plume celosia is an entirely distinct type. The plant grows pyramidal and compact about 2½ feet high, with immense, extra fine feathered heads, giving the plant a most striking appearance. Can be grown in the open ground or as a pot plant. Its quick growing habit and bright and intense colors of plumes, with beautiful foliage are greatly admired by all where ever shown. Pkt. 10c.

## Celosia Cristata (Cocks-

comb) Magnificent free flowering, graceful growing plants, very showy and fine. Sow seed in house in April; transplant outdoors in May in a sunny place. Half hardy annuals. Finest mixed. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 35c.



# Cosmos

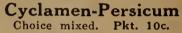
Plants four to six feet high, literally covered in autumn with large single flowers. Colors range through shades of rose, purple, flesh and white.

Mammoth Hybridus Tall mixed. Pkt. 5c, Early Dwarf Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/2 oz. 20c.

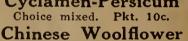
Double Early Flowering These grow to a height of about three feet, forming a perfect bush, massed with bloom, bearing beautiful double flowers of good size, on long stems. They come about 65 per cent double from seed. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c.

Cyclamen

One of the choicest of all the green house or window plants. Root bulbous in shape; foliage rich and beautiful; flowers bird-like and fragrant. Colors, white, pink, crimson, etc. Should be sown in light soil, containing leaf mold.



Chinese WoolHower
(Celosia Childsii) The flowers are ball-shaped and resemble a ball of wool. The plants will average 2 feet in height. They branch freely, and by midsummer are simply covered with blooms. It keeps blooming all during the fall and retains its full beauty and color until severe frost destroys it. Sow outdoors right in the border the latter part of April. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.





Double Cosmos



Clarkia An old favorite plant, with pretty looking flowers, grows very freely. Sow seeds early in spring in hardy annuals. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Cacalia (Tassel Flower) A fine and profuse flowering plant, producing scarlet and yellow tassel shaped flowers, treat as asters. Hardy annuals. Mixed Pkt. 5c.

# Chrysanthemums

Chinese Woolflower



Chrysanthemum Mixed

I been getting your seeds for 35 years, and find them most reliable of any seed I ever put in.

Mary Banska.

"Painted Daisies." Mixed annual varieties, easily grown. Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c.

Golden Feather The beautiful large, daisy-like flowers are from 2½ to 3 inches across. The dark velvety disk in the center is surrounded by a circle of bright, golden-yellow, followed by another clear cut circle of rich crimson. Pkt. 5c.

# Clematis

Jackmani Very large flowers (4 to 6 inches); blue, white, purple, etc. The popular hardy climber, an old favorite. Pkt. 10c.

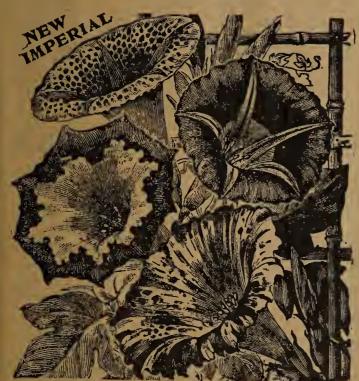
Paniculata Grows easily from seed; glossy, green leaves, never troubled by insects; bears a dense mass of blossoms, thrives in sunshine or shade. Small star-like white, fragrant flowers; grows to a height of 20 to 30 feet. Pkt. 5c.





Chinese Forget-Me-Not

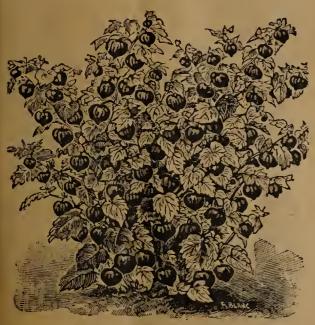
(Cynoglossum amabile) An annual of the easiest culture, forming strong, bushy plants 18 inches high and producing, through the summer months, sprays of intense blue forgetme-not-like flowers. Unsurpassed for massed blue bouquets. Highly desirable as blue flowers of this shade are scarce. Pkt. 10c.



## JAPANESE MORNING GLORIES

## Morning Glory, Imperial Japanese

The surpassing charm of these improved Imperial Japanese Morning Glories lies in the entrancing beauty and gigantic size of the flowers, they measuring from 4 to 6 inches across. The colors of the flowers, shading and markings are limitless, and really a wonder of nature, of such incomparable beauty that descriptions are inadequate. Are of easiest culture. Sow early in good rich soil. All colors; finest mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.



Chinese Lantern Plant

## An ornament-Chinese Lantern Plant forming dense bushes about 2 feet high, producing freely its bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits, which can be cut and dried for winter bouquets; highly interesting. Pkt. 10c.

## Hardy Garden Chrysanthemum

Japanese Mountain

semi-double flowers 3 in. and more in diameter.

Blooms profusely during September and October. It is perfectly hardy and grows from 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Plant in rich soil. Pkt. 10c.

Cineraria

A favorite, free-flowering, greenhouse plant of wondrous beauty. Best mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Centranthus

Free-flowering, compact growing plants with numerous clusters of pink and white flowers. Hardy annual. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Coleus

Easily grown from seed. Choicest varieties. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Cypress Vine

Fine ornamental climber, with delicate fern-like foliage. Sow seed in March, transplant to open ground in May. Half hardy annuals. Scarlet. Pkt. 5c.

Mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c.

Collinsia Beautiful, free blooming annuals, suitable for grouping or massing. The prevailing colors are white, purple and crimson. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

## Chinese Primrose (Primula)

Our primroses are from the very finest strains. Sow seeds in February, March and April. Then sown, the seeds germinate freely and fine plants can be had for winter flowering. Splendid Mixed Single. Pkt. 10c. Extra Large Fringed Mixed. Pkt. 20c.

Convolvulus Major (Tall Morning Glory) Will grow and bloom freely in almost any situation. Sow seed in open ground about May 1st. Tall, mixed colors. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.

Convolvulus Minor (Dwarf Morning Glory) Mixed colors. Pkt. 5c.

## Cosmidium

Orange Crown Mixed Forms dense bushes, about bushes, about 2 feet high, and produces throughout the summer beautiful flowers in shades of orange and yellow to the darkest velvety brown. Recommended for cutting, borders, flowering hedges and pot culture. Pkt. 10c.



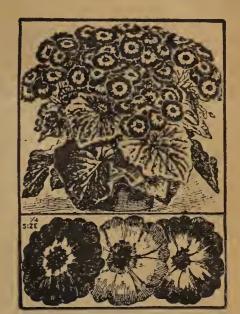
Cosmidium, Orange Crown



Cobaea, Scandens

## Cobaea Scandens

Fine, summer climbing plant, quick growing and bearing large bell-shaped flowers. Place the seed edgewise in sowing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 50c.



Cineraria



Datura Wrightii (Trumpet

Flower) Hardy annuals, with purple and white trumpet-shaped flowers, attaining a height of three feet. Pkt. 5c.



# **Dahlia**

Seeds saved from a large collection of best Dahlias and are very choice. Sow seed in April in shallow boxes in sandy loam; plant out in garden about May 15th. Half hardy perennials.

Double Finest Mixed. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c. Single Mixed. Pkt. 10c.



## DAISY Daisy—Shasta

A hardy perennial bearing large pure white flowers, sometimes four inches in diameter, in great profusion on long stiff stems fully two feet long. Excellent for cutting. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 50c.

Daisy—Alaska

Hardy Perennial
The pure white flowers, averaging 4 inches in diameter, are borne on long, stiff stems and are especially adapted for cutting. It begins blooming in July and continues for several months. Pkt. 10c.

## Daisy-Double (Bellis Perennis)

A well known and favorable plant. Will endure first winter safely and flower in early spring. Start in house in April. Half hardy annuals. Choicest Double Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 50c.



African Golden-Orange Daisy

### African Golden-Orange Daisy

The single daisy-like flowers are 2½ inches in diameter, has glossy terra cotta orange flowers very brilliant and showy. A bed in full bloom is truly a magnificent sight. Will bloom the entire summer. Pkt. 5c.

## Delphinium or Larkspur

Delights in cool soil and shade; in many varieties and colors. Sow in open ground in April or May. Choicest Mixed. Pkt. 5c.



Perennial Larkspur

Delphinium Larkspur (Hardy Perennial Hybrids) The plants unlike require no staking. They branch freely from the crown and bloom without intermission from early spring until late autumn, with increasing vigor to plants each succeeding season. Contains all shades from the palest to the darkest blue, and the various intervening shades of sapphire, turquoise indigo, etc., are rich and beautiful beyond description. Pkt. 10c.

## Wrexham (Hollyhock Strain) Pkt. 20c.

## **ESCHSCHOLTZIA**

Eschscholtzia (California Poppy)

Exceedingly profuse blooming yellow flower. Sow in open ground in May. Hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c, oz. 40c.



ESCHSCHOLTZIA, MIXED

## Eschscholtzia (Burbank's Crimson)

The lovely flowers are a most attractive clear rosy

Pkt. 5c.

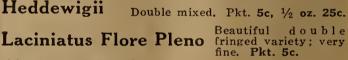
## Digitalis or Foxglove

Exceedingly showy and ornamental plants of stately growth and varied colors. Hardy per-ennials. Fine mixed.

The Shirley Giant. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c.







Dianthus-Mixed Pinks

DIANTHUS, or PINKS

The Dianthus are quite similar to carnations and among the most beautiful and popular flowers in cultivation; will flower both first and second seasons; unsurpassed in brilliancy of color and profusion of bloom. Sow seed in house in April; out of doors in May. Hardy annuals.

Marvelous (Dianthus Laciniatus Mira-

billis) The flowers are single with exceptionally large deeply fringed petals measuring two and one-half to three inches across the flower. The fringed edges are deeply and finely cut. In coloring the flowers range from pure white to richest crimson. Pkt. 10c.

Diadematis (Diadem Pink) True; fine extra double. Our strain of this beautiful pink is unrivaled in size of flowers and variety of colors. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 40c.

Choicest Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/2 oz. 25c.



DIGITALIS, or FOX GLOVE



Perpetual Flowering Garden Pinks

(Plumarius Perpetual-Flowering Pinks

The old fashioned, hardy garden pink. A choice mixture of double and semi-double hardy varieties, having a strong clove fragrance. Pkt. 10c.





# **GOURDS**



# GERANIUI

Geranium These well known favorites are indispensable for outdoor as well as indoor decorations. Sow seed in shallow boxes in March; when large enough transplant to similar boxes or small pots; plant out in May. Seeds, choice mixed. Pkt. 10c.



Globe Amaranth

# Globe Amaranth (Gomphrena)

Handsome, everlasting, with showy flowers. The flowers should be cut in summer and preserved for winter bouquets. Half hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c.



Godetia Handsome and showy annuals, bearing freely large flowers 3 to 4 inches across, of exquisite colors that glisten in the sun like satin. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c.

# **EUPHORBIA**

## Heterophylla (Annual Poinsettia Mexican Fire Plant, Painted Leaf)

An annual resembling in habit and color the beautiful hothouse Poinsettia. The plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, of branching, bush-like form, with smooth, glossy-green leaves, which about midsummer become a beautiful orange-scarlet, presenting a striking and brilliant appearance. Pkt. 10c.

Variegata Snow on the Mountain. A showy border plant with foliage veined and margined with white; flowers white. Pkt. 10c.

Erysimum Very showy, free-flowering plant with yellow flowers; effective in beds and mixed borders. Hardy annuals, 2½ feet high. Pkt. 5c.

# Echinocystis Lobeta (Wild Cucumber) stumps, etc. Quick growing and pretty climber; great favorite for covering trellis, Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.



FEVERFEW, IMPROVED DOUBLE WHIT

## Feverfew Double White (Alba Plenissima) The finest pure white Fever-few. Pkt. 5c.



NEW BABY GOLDENGLOW

Glow (Golden Baby Golden Queen) A most charming annual, growing about 15 to 18 inches high, bearing scores of bright yellow double flowers. The plants begin to bloom almost as soon as set in the open ground, affording an almost unlimited supply of cut flowers. Pkt. 10c.

Gourds Ornamental, fine and curious. Very valuable for covering old trees, fences, Mixed etc. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb 40c.

Luffa or Dish Cloth The peculiar lining of this fruit, sponge-like, porous, tough, elastic and durable, makes a natural dish cloth. Fruit grows about two feet long; the vine is very ornamental, with clusters of large yellow blossoms. Many ladies prefer this dish cloth to any other. Pkt. 5c.

## Sugar Trough or Bucket Gourd Useful and interesting. Makes desirable buckets. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

## True Japanese Nest Egg Gourd A valuable imitation and answers the purpose well; rapid grower. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

Dipper Gourd A valuable household arti-de. Train the vine on fence or trellis and necks grow straight. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

Grasses (Ornamental) The ornamental very showy and pretty, and when dried and arranged in connection with everlasting flowers make very attractive winter bouquets. Sow in open ground in May.

All Varieties Grasses Mixed.



Fountain of Gold

Fountain of Gold The drooping branches are covered with delicate sage-green foliage and every twig tipped with a long raceme of exquisite pea-shaped blossoms of a pure canary color. "Fountain of Gold." Pkt. 10c.



Gaillardia

Gaillardia
One of the most showy and brilliant of garden flowers, fine for bedding and cutting, flowers of rich shades throughout the summer. Gaillardia, all colors; splendid mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Portola Hybrids Gaillardia (New) Flowers of very large size, with colors ranging through shades of bronzy red, and saving petals tipped with gold. Very striking. Pkt. 10c.

Pretty dwarf annuals; will bloom in any situation; good for massing. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Gloxinia A bulbous rooted plant, producing in great pro-fusion; has large well shaped flowers of richest and most beautiful variety of brilliant colors. One foot, Hybrida mixed. Pkt. 10c.



brilliant scarlet-cardinal flower the size of a large carnation, which it somewhat resembles. You would like this very brilliant flower; h. p. Pkt. 10c.



Hibiscus

# **HIBISCUS**



## Ice Plant (Mesembryanthemum)

A fine little trailing plant with star-like flowers in great abundance. Sow seed in house. Half hardy annuals. Mixed colors. Pkt. 5c.

Ipomopsis (Tree Cypress) Handsome, free - flowering plant with spikes of deepest orange and scarlet flowers. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Lychnis Very handsome, useful perennials of easy culture. Sow seed in March, transplant in open ground in May in partial shade. Choice mixed. Pkt. 5c.



GLOXINIA, CHOICEST HYBRIDS



HELICHRYSUM, DOUBLE MIXED

# Helichrysum

(Everlasting Flower)

Strawflower. Very good for summer bloom and for winter bouquets; makes a fine border plant Tender annual. 5 to 7 inches in diameter.

Monstrosum Double. Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 40c.

Helianthus (Double Dwarf Sunflower) A dwarf variety, growing about 2½ feet high: flowers very double, rich, golden yellow, 5 to 7 inches in diameter. Pkt. 5c.



Heliotrope

Heliotrope Well known fragrant plant of profuse flowering habit; excellent for bedding purposes or pot culture. Sow seed in the house. Half hardy perennials. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 75c.



Hollyhock, Allegheny

# Hollyhock

Allegheny (Mammoth Fringed.) The flowers, which are 3 to 5 inches in diameter, and either double or half double, are finely fringed, cut and curled. The colors vary from palest pink to ruby red, which we offer in mixture. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c.

Finest Double Mixed A most splendid plant of stately appearance; flowers large and double as roses, of every shade and color. Sow seed out of doors in spring, where they are to bloom. Hardy perennials. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 45c, oz. 80c.



## IPOMOEA Heavenly Blue

Heavenly Blue (Early Flowering Rubro Coerulea). One of the few flowers of true blue and probably finest of all morning glories. Flowers measure 3½ to 4 inches across, deep blue with white throat. They blossom profusely and for a long season, opening in the morning and facing the sun. While many have easy success sowing seed in the open ground, others prefer to sow two seeds in a 3-inch pot indoors in April and by end of May plunge pot in place where they are to bloom. They are then sure to produce many flowers. Use gravelly, sandy soil and give southern exposure. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 50c.



The New Livingstone Daisy





Lantana Hybrida Free flowering, handsome plant. The flowers are in verbenalike heads, color very brilliant and constantly changing in hue; very fine. Sow seed in house. Half hardy perennials. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Linum (Flowering Flax) A fine, half hardy bright crimson flowers. Sow seed in the open ground. Pkt. 5c.

Lobelia Very fine growing plant, admirable for front lines of ribbon borders and vases and hanging baskets. Flowers of deep blue and white. Sow seed under glass. Half hardy perennials. Choice mixed. Pkt. under glass. He sc,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c.

Lobelia Crystal Palace Compacta blue with dark foliage. The best for bedding. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 30c.

Lupinus A free flowering plant, bearing long and graceful flower spikes of rich and varied colors. Hardy annuals. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Regale—The Regal It is absolutely hardy, and is excellent for forcing. The flowers are white, slightly suffused with pink, with a beautiful shade of canary-yellow at the center, and extending part way up the trumpet. It is delightfully perfumed, reminding one of the jasmine, and lacking the heavy, oppressive odor of most lilies. Blooms out of doors early in July, and seedling bulbs will flower the second year. Lift the bulblets in fall and replant to greater depth in their permanent location. Pkt. 10c.

Livingstone Daisy (Mesembryanthemum Criniflorum) The plants which are of slightly spreading habit, are literally covered with daisy-like flowers, measuring about 2 inches of the most delightful shades imaginable. There are pure whites tinted and edged with rose, crimson, pink and buff; and self colors including primrose, golden, buff, apricot, crimson and pink. An ideal carpet or rockery plant and a gem for edging. Will succeed admirably in crevices of crazy paving or old walls and thrives well in poor soil. Pkt. 10c.

# Marigold Tall African Double

Choice Mixed

A well known free-flowering plant with fine double flowers of rich, beautiful colors. Half hardy annuals. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c.

Rich golden orange, very showy. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c. Orange Ball

Double, lemon colored. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c. Lemon Ball

Eldorado (New)

The large bushy plants are each a ball of brilliant colors, single plants having from 75 to 100 flowers in full bloom at one time. Pkt. 5c.

Guinea Gold (Annual) This is a very distinct type of Marigold, of graceful pyramidal habit, growing 2 to 2½ feet high, and producing 30 to 40 flowers, 2 to 2½ inches across, of brilliant shade of orange flushed with gold. Unlike the ordinary African Marigold, this new variety produces no single flowers, but practically 100 per cent semi-double. The characteristic Marigold odor is much less pungent than in other sorts. Pkt. 10c.

## Dwarf French Double (12 in.)

Double, Mixed Here is a mixture of Dwarf French Marigolds which has been blended for a rich color effect. It contains shades of yellow, orange, mahogany, brown, and combinations of these. The neat, compact plants are of even height and habit, growing but 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 20c; 1/2 oz. 30c.

# Mignonette

A well known, most fragrant little flower. Wants a sunny situation. Sow seeds in May where it is to remain.

Reseda Sweet Finest mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

Golden Queen Extra choice. Pkt. 5c.

Nineteen Hundred

This valuable mignonette makes of charming golden yellow flowers. A single plant has produced 400 flower spikes of most delicious fragrance. Pkt. 5c.

Mimulus Hybridus (Monkey Flower)
A genus of very fine flowering plants with brilliant colored flowers. They want a damp, shady situation, do best in pots. Half hardy perennials. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Marvel of Peru (Four O'Clock)

Beautiful both in foliage and flowers, are exceedingly fragrant, expanding in the evening, withering next morning; color white, yellow, variegated; two feet. Mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.





Lupinus, Mixed



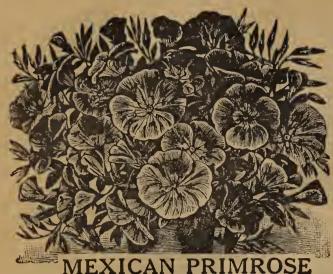
MOUNTAIN BEAUTY

## Mountain Beauty (Tender Perennial Climber)

(Antigonon) A handsome climber of Mexican origin. Flowers of brightest rose color, borne in graceful est rose color, bo clusters. Pkt. 10c.



Marvel of Peru, Mixed



Mexican Primrose The spreading blossoms are 3 inches in diameter, of a bright pink color, with scarlet veins and showy white centre. Of easy culture and suited to indoor or open air situations. Pkt. 10c.



New Sweet-Scented Double Nasturtium

Golden Gleam

Few new flowers ever introduced have been acclaimed so quickly and praised so highly as this wonderful new double sweet-scented Nasturtium. The blooms are a beautiful golden yellow. They are large and well rounded, measuring 2½ to 3 in. across. They are borne well above the foliage on stems 6 to 8 in. long. The bushes are compact, forming just a few short runners averaging not more than 6 or 8 in. in length. As one garden enthusiast expressed it: "All it takes to drive away the blues is to take one look at the color of Golden Gleam Nasturtium." The distinctly sweet scent of the blooms is something entirely new in Nasturtiums and adds greatly to the value of this splendid new variety. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, ½ lb. 75c.



Myosotis. (Forget-Me-Not)

Star-like flowers; very beautiful. They succeed best in a moist situation. Sow seeds in April or May. Hardy perennials. Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 25c.

Distinction

A new and interesting form of forgetme-not, with the true ever-blooming habit. Height, 5 to 7 inches. Exquisite azure blue. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 25c.

Mimosa (Sensitive Plant) Very curious and in-leaves closing if slightly touched or shaken. Half hardy annuals. Madica. Pkt. 5c.

# Nasturtiums

Nasturtium (Tropaeolum) Well known proplant, admirably adapted for rock work. Sow seed in open ground in early May.

Alneer's New Giant Flowering Attracts instant attention by the great size, exquisite form and rich color of the flowers. The flowers measure 3½ to 3½ inches in diameter, the petals 1½ inches across. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

Eclipse Grandest and richest mixture of Nasturtiums. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.

Empress of India Dark foliage with crimson and dark flowers. Pkt. 5c.

Dwarf MixedPkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

Tall Mixed Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

Nemophila (Love Grove) A pretty dwarf growing annual of very compact growth Blooms freely all summer. Hardy annuals. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Nierembergia Very fine plants; adapted for baskets and edgings. Pkt. 5c.



## Moon Flower (Ipomoea Noctiflora or Evening

Glory) The glory of the night. Cross bred or Hybrid. New. Pkt. 5c.

Musk Plant A most charm-ing and fra-grant little flower; a great favor-ite for baskets and winter bloom-ing. Pkt. 10c.



## Nigella (Love in a Mist)

Curious free flowering plants; have most interesting looking flowers. Will grow in any soil. Sow in open ground in May. Half hardy annuals. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

## Nicotiana Sanderae

The plants form a cluster of rich dark green leaves, from which strings of pyramidal growth of flowering branches two feet or more in height; these branches are thickly covered with brilliant flowers which continue until the plants are killed by frost. Flowers brilliant scarlet. Pkt. 5c.



NASTURTIUM

Giant Flowering.



Oenothera

## Oenothera (Evening Primrose) Oxalis, Mixed Beautiful, plants w



Large flowers, opening towards evening; large silver-white golden yellow and crimson spotted flowers, half hardy annuals. Mixed. Pkt. 5c. Pink, yellow and white. Pkt. 5c.

Alneer's Prize Collection Pansies

# **PANSIES**

(Viola Tricolor Maxima)

Favorites with all. They are too well known to need description. In brilliancy and variety of color cannot be excelled. Sow seed in February or March in shallow boxes in house, temperature 50 to 60 degrees. Set out in open ground the latter part of April or the first of May, in rich, cool soil.

## Alneer's Prize Collection of Pansy Seed

We have the finest collection of Pansies in the world. In the collection are Henderson's Highland Butterfly and Fancy Trimardeau, English Fancy, Odier, or five blotched, French and German Fancy Flowers of the largest size. Perfect in form, of the richest colors. Pkt. 12c, ½ oz. \$1.50, oz. \$5.00. \$5,00.

Finest German Mixed Grandest varieties. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c, oz. \$1.50.

Good Mixed Pkt. 5c.

White Treasure Pkt. 10c.

Giant Trimardeau Mixed Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c, oz. \$1.40.

Emperor William Dark blue.
Pkt.10c.

King of the Blacks Pkt.

Roggli Swiss Giants This mammoth New strain, often measuring 3½ inches across, is composed of well-rounded, perfectly shaped flowers, thick velvety petals, with a wide range of colorings and markings. Mixed Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. \$2.50.

Madame Perret famous French strain, in which rich red-dish maroon and rosy purple shades predominate. This is the finest of the "wine-colored" Pan-sies. Pkt. 10c.

## Exquisite Orchid-Flowered Pansies

All the delicate shades and tints of the Orchids may be found in these charmingly pretty favorites. Rose, orange, pink, lilac, terra cotta, chamois and other exquisite shades. Mixed, Pkt. 10c.



Pansy Masterpiece

Masterpiece This is the finest of the frilled and ruffled Pansies, and attracts the attention of everyone. Plants of fine habit; very free-flowering. The large flowers have five velvety violet blotches. Every petal has a dark blotch, and there is usually a light edge or border. Highly fashionable everywhere. Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. \$1.45, oz. \$4.50.



Orchid-Flowered Pansy

# Phlox Drummondi

For a beautiful and constant display they stand unrivalled; their richness of color renders them invaluable in every garden. Sow seeds in open ground in May.

Star of Quedlinburg Flowers of regular star-like form. Plant of compact habit, very prolific. Mixed colors. Pkt. 5c.

Brilliant Scarlet Pkt. 5c.

Flora Alba pure white. Pkt. 5c. Choicest Mixed All colors. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 40c, oz. 60c.

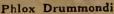
## Perennial Phlox

One of the most popular and magnificent of garden flowers. The new large-flowered hybrids are brilliant and beautiful, and bloom freely all summer. New Hybrids—All colors mixed. Sow in fall or very early in Spring. Pkt. 10c.

PERENNIAL PHLOX



A most interesting climber, bearing singularly beautiful flowers, grows rapidly, blooms freely, rivals most vines in size, color and a profusion of blooms. Surpasses many in growth and sweet fragrance. Sow seeds in house. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.



Phlox Drummondii

Rossburg, Ohio.

Please send at once, as
I am getting my order in
late, but couldn't get an Alneer's book and wouldn't order from any other
company, as Alneer's Seeds are the best I've ever sown. They are sure crop.
EDD. E. HITTLE.

# Peonies



Paeony Double Mixed

## Paeonies (Paeonia Herbacea Chinensis)

Well known herbaceous perennial plants which may be grown either from seeds or roots. They are so gorgeous in their beauty that they should have a place in every garden. About three feet high. Double mixed. Pkt. 10c.



## Platycodon (Chinese Bell Flower)

Large, open, bell-shaped flowers of a rich violet blue, almost rivaling the splendid Jackmanii Clematis in beauty. Plant very dwarf and compact. Hardy perennials. Pkt. 10c.

Pentstemon Highly ornamental flowers, bell shaped, rich colors, growing on large spikes. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

# Petunias

A highly ornamental plant, free flowering, highly perfumed. One of the best annuals for bedding and colors in mass. Will bloom from early spring until late in autumn. The double petunias are best for house or pot culture. The double fringed are very elegant and rich. Sow under glass in April; plant out in May.

Rosy Morn One of the most popular Petunias and especially fine. Soft carmine pink with white throat, a handsome coloring. Pkt. 10c.

Single Fringed Beautifully fringed with large throats and extra large flowers. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

Double Very fine. Pkt. 15c.

Double Fringed Extra fine. Pkt. 20c.

Striped and Blotched Pkt. 5c.

Hybrida Finest single mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 25c.

Balcony and Bedding

For window or porch boxes, dry banks, terraces, or among rockwork, the Balcony Petunias may be depended upon to supply an unsurpassed floral effect throughout the summer until frost. The flowers measure nearly 3 inches



PLATYCODON, Chinese Bell Flower.



Petunia, Balcony and Bedding

BALCONY ROSE BALCONY BLUE BALCONY WHITE BALCONY MIXED

Any of the above, Pkt. 10c.

Craryville, N. Y.
Gentlemen: Seeds
received all O. K.
Thanks for extras
which I found enclosed. I use a good
many seeds. I find
your seeds A No. 1,
and your packets
are double or more
in size than can be
bought from any
other house.
Franklin W. Tyler.



HYBRIDA, Single Mixed PETUNIA

Double Portulaca

Portulaca A most brilliant and profuse bloomer; beautiful and delicate, rich colors of every shade. A charming genus. The Double Plant on sandy, light soil, in warm sunny place. Sow seeds in house and plant out in May.

Double Rose Flowered Mixed. Pkt. 10c. Single Mixed Pkt. 5c.



Giants of California

This strain, originating in California, is of incomparable size, luxuriance and beauty. Nearly all the flowers are ruffled or fringed, and measure from four to five inches across. The great variety of colors, blotchings, stripings and veinings make fantastic and beautiful combinations. Some of the colors run to delicate shades, while others are deep, rich, gorgeous. Pkt., mixed colors, 15c. shades, whi colors, 15c.

Pyrethrum Roseum The flowers of this kind are gathered, dried and pulverized, and form the true "Persian Insect Powder." Pkt. 5c.



# Hardy Perennial Poppies

## Oriental Perennial Hybrids

Great flowers of gorgeous brilliancy. For brightness of color nothing can eclipse these beautiful Oriental perennial poppies. The colors range from soft flesh and rose to most brilliant dazzling scarlet and richest maroon purple. Flowers enormous; 6 inches across. Mixed. Pkt. 10c.

New Iceland A hardy perennial blooming the first season. The flowers resemble crushed satin, the lovely white, yellow and orange-colored flowers are produced on long stiff stems. Bloom continuously from April throughout the season. Mixed colors. Pkt. 5c.

# **SALVIA**



Salvia Splendens

Salvia (Flowering Sage) Fine plants spikes of scarlet and blue flowers; good for pot culture or out of door bloom in summer; fine in groups. Sow seed in house.

Splendens Brilliant scarlet. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 50c, oz. \$1.75.

America or Globe of Fire The dwarf plants are of compact rounded growth. Each spike is closely set with mammoth size flowers of the most brilliant scarlet. It begins to bloom early in the season and continues until cut down by frost. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c, oz. \$1.75.

Farinacea The fine bright blue flowers are borne on long graceful stems. They are excellent for cutting. The bushes are well rounded, growing 2 feet tall, and bear profusion of blooms. Pkt. 10c.

Ricinus (Castor Oil Bean) A tall grow-ing plant of tropical origin, the foliage being most valuable; good for screens, etc., height from 3 to 7 ft. Sow when all danger of frost is over. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.

Rhodanthe (Maculata) Everlasting and valuable for winter bouquets. Sow seed in open ground. Pkt. 5c.

Plants with large and brilliant colored flowers, producing a rich and fine display of bloom. Sow seed in open ground in May.

Fairy Blush The immense globular flowers are perfectly double and measure from 10 to 15 inches in circumference. The petals are elegantly fringed and pure white except at the tip, where they are distinctly covered with rosy cream. Pkt. 5c.

The Shirly Very rich in colors, large single flowers. Pkt. 5c.

All Varieties Mixed. Pkt. 5c, 1/2 oz. 15c.



Mixed Poppies



Hardy Primrose (Primula)

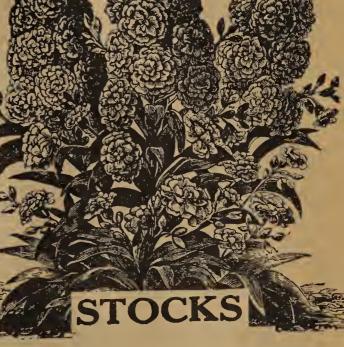
Sow seed on surface and merely cover. Hgt. 1 ft.; partial shade; blooms April and May; fine for rock-gardens.

Veris, Large Flowered
Mixed (Polyanthus) Large clusters of
showy flowers produced early
in the spring on stems 8 in. long. The
color range is truly magnificent, including creamy white, yellow, crimson, copper-red, purple, etc. Perfectly hardy.
Prefers moderately moist soil in either
sun or shade. Very pretty for edging.
Pkt. 10c.



ual, Mixed)
Plants under good care will commence to flower when six inches high and about two months old, and continue to grow and bloom until they form compact bushes, well covered with single and double flowers.

Sow in rich sandy soil and keep at about 70° F. and moderately moist. When plants are about 1 inch high transplant and give plenty of light and air. Tender perennial. Pkt. 10c.



Stocks (Ten Weeks) The Ten Weeks stocks or Gilliflower is one of the most popular of our garden favorites; is good for massing, bedding or pot culture. Sow seed in house, transplant to pots; in June set out in open ground.

Dwarf Double Large Flowering Stocks. Mixed Pkt. 5c, 1/8 oz. 30c.

Cut and Come Again Beautiful double flowers borne on fine strong stems. Of branching growth, 18 inches tall, and excellent for cutting. Pkt. 10c.

## Rock Garden Annuals Mixed

Splendid Mixture of 25 varieties suitable for rock gardens. Pkt. 5c.

Rock Garden Perennials Mixed

Wonderful Mixture of over 50 rare and choice rock garden perennials. Pkt. 10c.



Salpiglossis Has beautiful funnel-shaped flowers; fine for autumn bloom. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c.

Scabiosa (Mourning Bride.) Handsome, showy plants for mixed borders, producing flowers in confusion and in a very large variety of colors, fine for bouquets. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

# Scabiosa, Caucasica

HARDY PERENNIAL
Pretty border and rockery
plants which succeed in any
ordinary, well drained soil
and a sunny position. The
charming soft lavenderblue flowers are carried on
stems 18 to 24 inches long.
June to October. Pkt. 10c.





Vermilion Brilliant Spencer



Beautiful, fragrant, free flowering, climbing plants. Plant seed two inches deep, early in spring; support by stakes.

# Giant Spencer

Illuminator Spencer

are well placed on long, stout stems. The standards are bold, expanded and attractively waved. The color is a deep, bright cerise-salmon on a cream ground. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Blanche Ferry Spencer A vast improvement in form over the old standard variety. A wonder-fully bold and striking flower with bright rose standards and white wings tinted light pink.

Mrs. Routzahn Spencer A beautiful blending of soft straw color, tinted with blush pink and shaded to apricot, quite a distinct rose margin. A first class variety for all purposes. Pkt. 5c,

King White Spencer Without exception the best and largest of all Spencer sweet peas. It is of a purer white, of better substance and more finely placed on thick, long stems, than White Spencer. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Crimson King An exceptionally fine American Sweet Pea and easily the best crimson in existence. It is a flower of mammoth size and artistic proportions. The standard and wings are much waved and fluted. The color is rich true crimson. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Asta Ohn Spencer The best lavender. The blossoms are large, waved or fluted, delicately tinted or suffused with mauve. Is more truly a soft pinkish lavender self. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

## Vermilion Brilliant Spencer

This is a most brilliant, iridescent scarlet Spencer yet produced. The flowers are of perfect form. The bold, erect standard is well waved and fluted, of large size, beautifully rounded and finishing well below the keel. The wings are of the same intense pure scarlet, making a uniform self-color throughout and entirely sunproof.

Royal Purple

The color is as the name describes it a rich royal purple. The vines are unusually vigorous and long stout stems carrying four large blossoms as the rule. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Countess Spencer Delicate soft pink, shading deeper at edges of petals. The blossoms are waved or fluted, 4 to the stem, and all face one way. The original giant Spencer and still one of the best. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Austin Frederick

der, flowers of giant size and perfect form, nicely waved.

A lovely soft lavenard perfect and perfect perfect.

Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Constance Hinton The finest and largest white variety of strong, vigorous growth. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Elfrida Pearson This is the largest and finest blush pink variety. Flowers of enormous size and very wavy. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Heavenly Blue The immense flowers, well placed on good strong stems are a pure blue self; of more than usual merit. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.



Matchless or Daffodil This is considered the best cream yellow variety, flowers of largest size and prettily frilled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Miss California The color is a distinct shade of salmon pink and shows up well when cut. A strong grower. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Picture The gigantic blooms are borne freely in sprays of four or more. Color a most attractive tint of pink suffused with creamy apricot. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Renown Very large flowers of a rich crim-son-rose color. Very distinct and effective. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Valentine A grand extra large flowering soft blush pink, of strong, free, vigorous growth. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

Spencer Mixed (New Orchid This mixture from the finest large flowering Spencer Varieties in a wide range of colors, produce a gorgeous effect. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ½ lb. 40c, ½ lb. 75c, lb. \$1.30.

**FLUFFY** 

Fluffy Ruffles Lovely rich rose pink, a gleam of rosy salmon and a bright creamy undertone, blending into a harmonious cream pink shade. A flower of exquisite texture and pleasant fragrance. A new type, duplexed and frilled, with long-stemmed, well-proportioned sprays of four almost globular flowers. No other Sweet Pea is said to exhibit such a consistent doubling and ruffling of its petals. Twelve sprays make a more massive bunch than eighteen sprays of an ordinary Spencer Sweet Pea. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

## 12 pkts. Giant Spencer Sweet Peas (Your choice) for 50 cts.

Sweet Peas (Grandiflora Varities)

Alneer's Prize Giant Flowering Very fine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 35c, 1/2 lb. 65c, lb. \$1.10. Finest Mixed Colors Pkt. 5c, oz 8c, 1/4 lb. 25c, 1/2 lb. 45c, lb. 85c.

Cupid, Dwarf or Bedding Mixed These form a line of emerald-green ginches high, and from June until late summer are literally a sheet of bloom; the mixture contains all the colors. Pkt. 5c. oz. 15c.



# Verbenas

Well known and universally admitted plant unrivaled in its splendor of brilliancy and beauty. The Verbena is one of our best bedding plants. Start seeds in house in shallow boxes in March or April; seeds sprout very unevenly, some coming four weeks after the others. Transplant to open ground about May 15th.

Gigantea Mixed A wonderful mixture of large flowering varieties. The flowers are, as the name indicates, gigantic, and with white eye, the reds particularly attractive. Pkt.. 15c.

New Mammoth Grandiflora

This new Versuperior strain, both in size of flowers and clusters, while the clusters of bloom are magnificent. Large range of colors. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 40c, oz. 60c.

Schizantnus Tall annuals, with beautiful flowers in great variety of

Solanum (Jerusalem Cherry.) Ornamental fruit bearing plants, useful for conservatory or drawing room decoration. The foliage is handsome and contrasts finely with the miniature, round, scarlet fruit with which the plant is covered. Tender perennial; 18 inches high. Pkt. 5c.



TRITOMA

Smilax (Myrsiphyllum Asparagoidies). A beautiful winter climbing A beautiful winter climbing plant; unsurpassed for wreaths and trimmings in floral decoration. Sow in shallow boxes in the house in light soil at any season of the year. Smilax seed, pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 35c, oz. 60c.

Thunbergia Slender and rapid growing climber with very pretty and much admired flowers; very fine for baskets. Start in the house and transplant to the open ground in May. Fine mixed. Pkt. 5c.

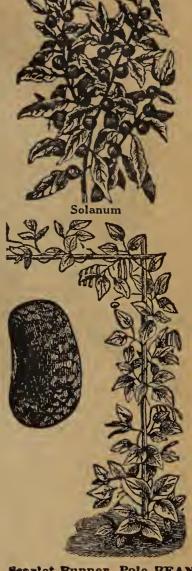
Whitlavia Charming hardy annuals, with beautiful, bell-shaped flowers will grow and bloom freely in any soil. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Xeranthemum A fine and showy class of everlastings; flowers are used for winter bouquets. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Vinca A greenhouse ever-green shrub; shining green foliage. Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Valeriana A showy perennial border plant, producing large corymbs of red and white flowers suitable for bouquets or decorations. Very fragrant, resembling heliotrope. Should be largely grown. Mixed, pkt. 5c.

Tritoma A very interesting plant, that ought to be placed in everyone's garden. Has magnificent fiery red flower spikes a foot long. Is often called a Red-Hot Poker. Makes a beautiful sight. Pkt. 5c.



Searlet Runner, Pole BEAN Scarlet Runner Bean

Chiefly grown for its brilliant scarlet flowers, which are borne in long racemes from July to October; also excellent as a shelled bean. Pkt. 5c, ½ lb. 20c, lb. 38c.

Sweet Wivelsfield (Dianthus Barbatus x Allwoodii) An outstanding novelty of the easiest culture. A new race of plants resulting from color range. Few plants can compare with Sweet Wivelsfield for wealth of color and length of flowering period. Some flowers have a honey perfume. Blooms the first year from seed. May be grown as an annual. Pkt.\10c.



Hybrida choicest mixed. Pkt. 5c.

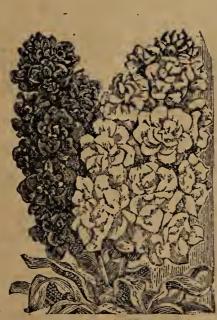


Violet Sweet

## Violet Sweet (Viola)

A great favorite, much in demand on account of its profusion of bloom and delightful fragrance. Hardy perennials. Pkt. 10c.

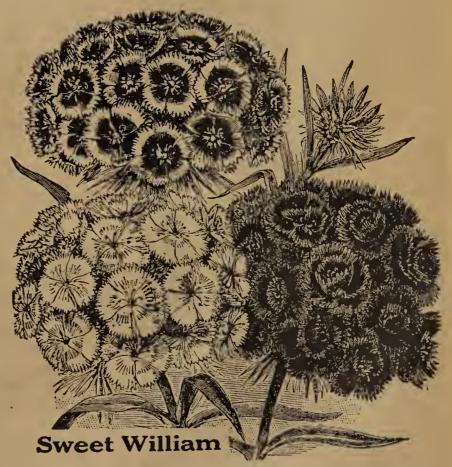
Viola Cornuta (Tufted Pansies) These cousins of the larger flowered pansy bloom so freely that many consider them superior where a mass of color is desired. The season is long, and colors particularly clear and distinct. Pkt. 10c.



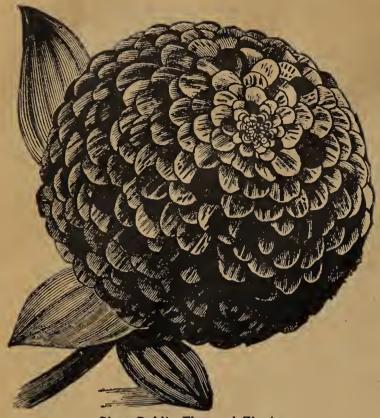
Double Wallflower

Wallflower A hardy or half hardy perennial bearing long spikes of exquisitely fragrant flowers. It is very ornamental in the border or in forming groups. Blooms in spring. Sow thinly in shallow drills in early spring.

Double Mixed Pkt. 10c. Single Mixed Pkt. 5c.



Sweet William (Dianthus Barbatus.) A bed of the best varieties produces an endless variety of colors, and presents a striking and beautiful sight. Hardy perennials. Fine mixed, pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 20c, oz. 50c.



Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnia

Giant Dahlia Flowered

The plants of this new race are very sturdy and produce many flowers with stout stems. In formation the broad petals are closely imbricated, sometimes seeming almost to be piled one upon the other. The flowers often measure 4 inches in depth and 6 to 8 inches in diameter. In general appearance the flowers compare with the Show Dahlias. Mixed. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 30c, oz. \$1.00. Buttercup. An immense deep creamy yellow. Pkt. 10c.

Crimson Monarch. Rich crimson. By far the largest and best of red shades. Pkt. 10c.

Dream. A fine, deep lavender, turning to purple (Mallow Purple). Pkt. 10c.

Oriole. Immense orange and gold bicolor, changing slightly as it ages, but at all times worthy of the beautiful bird for which it is named. Pkt. 10c.

Polar Bear. A very large pure white, the best white yet seen in Zinnias. True Dahlia form: Pkt. 10c. Illumination. Similar to Exquisite but a striking self-color of deep rose. (Tyrian Rose.) Pkt. 10c.

The Gladiolus is one of our most beautiful summer flowering bulbs. It has brilliant spikes of flowers two feet or more in height, often several from one bulb, of most desirable colors.





Zinnia

# Zinnias

Pompon or Liliput Double

12 to 15 in. The plants form handsome little bushes and
fairly bristle with tiny, short-stemmed,
very double flowers hardly exceeding a
daisy flower in size. They are very pretty
plants; bloom all summer until late in
the fall. Pkt. 5c.

Giant Picotee A remarkable new and distinct class with beautiful double flowers in orange, flesh, lemon, pink and cerise, each petal being distinctly tipped with various shades of dark, resembling the Picotee Carnations. Pkt. 10c.

(Youth and Old Age.) Strong growing free flowering plant; flowers large, double, very fine colors. Especially fine for back-

New Zebra Superior strain; flowers very large and striped. Pkt. 5c.

Curled and Crested

Large, full flowers, the petals twisted, curled and crested in fantastic and graceful forms. Colors, orange, purple, pink, deep rose. Two feet. Pkt. 5c.

Choice Double Mixed

All colors. Pkt. 5c, 1/4 oz. 25c, oz. 60c.

# **Bulbs and Plants** Gladiolus (First Size Bulbs)

Baron J. Hulot The leading purple variety. 3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 35c, Doz. 65c.

Crimson Glow A perfect, very large deep scarlet-crimson; flowers on a tall, strong spike. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Early Sunrise

This is a very vigorous grower. Spikes grow from three to four feet high. Flowers extra large, bright salmon-scarlet color with pencil stripe of cream through center of each petal of the flower. It is extremely early, being in the same blooming period as Halley, but much larger flowers and spikes.

3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 35c, Doz. 65c.

Golden Measure Very large, dark golden yellow; the best in the yellows. 3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 35c,

Herada Blooms of immense size on tall, straight spikes. The large blooms are pure mauve, glistening and clear, with deeper markings in throat. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

L'Immaculee Pure white, 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Mrs. Dr. Norton Pure, soft white, with tips of petals suffused La France Pink. Wonderful variety. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Mrs. Leon Douglass Mammoth in size and a veritable giant in height. This salmon-rose-pink Glad has rapidly won the favor of Glad fans everywhere. Flame and scarlet splashings and fleckings add to the richness of the flower. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Pfitzer's Triumph An unusual color and a fine variety. Bright salmon orange with small velvet red blotches. Very showy. 3 for 25c, ½ Doz. 45c, Doz. 80c.

Panama An improved America, largest and most notable spike of bloom among all pink sorts. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Purple Glory Ruffled, velvety maroon-red, black blotches. 3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 30c, Doz. 50c.

Los Angeles

Known on the West Coast as a cut and come again. The bulbs usually produce in this part of the country 3 stalks. Shrimppink with orange-carmine throat. The color scheme is very pleasing and greatly admired by all who have seen it. A variety of individuality. 3 for 15c, ½ Doz. 25c, Doz. 45c.

Rose Ash (Ashes of roses.) A new color in gladioli. A wonderfully vigorous grower. 3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 30c, Doz. 50c.

Paul Pfitzer

The best dark violet-red Gladiolus ever offered. Heavily ruffled with very large flowers. Strong and healthy. 3 for 25c, ½ Doz. 45c, Doz. 80c.

War
Deep blood-red, shaded crimson-black.
A leader among the large reds. 3 for 20c, ½ Doz. 30c, Doz. 50c.

## SPECIAL OFFER

One each of the named Gladiolus for 60c.

3 Collections for \$1.50

Exhibition Mixture

best large flowering varieties. We know this to be as good a mixture as you can buy, being made up of a wide range of colors, from the richest red to the most delicate white and pastel shades. We offer these bulbs at very moderate prices, so that you may obtain a large quantity of them in order to get a greater variety of colors. 6 Bulbs 20c, 12 for 35c, 50 for \$1.10, 100 for \$2.00.

Good Mixed, All Colors 6 bulbs for 18c, 12 for 32c, 50 for 95c, 100 for \$1.75.



Giant Flowering Dahlia

# THE

pure white flower bells hanging grace-fully on slender stem, should be in every garden. Large Hamburg pips, 10c each, 6 for 25c, 12 for 45c. This favorite

Excelsior Double Pearl Tuberose



Cigarette (S.C.) In color it is creamy white, heavily edged with pomegranite-red, but no two flowers exactly alike. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Fort Monmouth (F. D.) A rich crimson maroon with a hue of bluish violet at tips of petals. Free bloomer and foliage is dark green. Flowers frequently 13 in. in diameter. Each 55c, 3 for \$1.50.

Harry Mayer (Formal Decorative.) Color is a silver-lavender with the reverse of the petals deep lavender. Sturdy growing habit and heavy texture. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.30.

Jane Cowl (I. D.) A large flower of a warm buff and old gold blending to a bright salmon at the center. The giant flowers are held aloft on rigid stems. A superb dahlia in every way. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00.

Jean Chazot or Gay Paree (Cactus.) This is one of the very best

(Cactus.) This is one of the very best all-around varieties yet produced. A beautiful golden bronze with a faint touch of Nasturtium red and unsurpassed by any of the autumn tints as a cut flower. Each 30c, 3 for 75c.

Jersey's Beacon (F.D.) The color is Chiracon and the color

nese-scarlet with a paler reverse giv-

Dahlias should always be planted in an open situation away from shade which robs the soil of its fertility. Set out in the open just as soon as the weather becomes settled.

Avalon (I.D.) Pure, clear yellow. The large flowers are very distinct and produced in great abundance. Each 25c, 3 for 65c.

Cigarette (S.C.) In color it is

Jersey's Beauty (Formal Decorative.)

Probably the most talked of dahlia during the past seasons. It is still in a class by itself. A perfect bloom of eosine pink, carried high above the foliage on a long, wiry stem. Each 30c, 3 for 75c.

Mrs. Ide Ver Warner (Formal

Decorative.) A refined mauve-pink beautifully formed. Large blooms carried on long strong wiry stems. A free continuous bloomer. Each 25c, 3 for 65c. for 65c.

Pride of Stratford (I. D.) A large twotone orange variety with a very deep reverse. Vigorous growing plant. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Sagamore (F.D.) An exceptionally fine exhibition or cut flower of a golden color, shaded toward the center with warm salmon-rose or orange-buff. Stems straight and stiff. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Snowdrift (Show Decorative.) Large, perfectly formed flowers, the best of the white Dahlias. A vigorous grower, strong, stout stems, profuse bloomer. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

One each of the above 12 varieties for \$3.00. Collection

## Special Collection Offer

All Giant-Flowering Dahlias

We will send unnamed, our choice at this greatly reduced price.
Six varieties, 1 root of each (at regular prices over \$2.00) only.

90c



Fine climber, perfectly hardy, and is produced from tubers which make from 10 to 20 feet of vine. Beautiful heart-shaped leaves, bright green foliage, and clusters of delicate white flowers, sending forth a delicious cinnamon odor. Large tubers 8c each, 4 for 30c.

Maderia Vine Beautiful climber, of rapid growth, has light green, almost transparent leaves. It will climb to the height of 20 feet and over. Excellent for house climbers. 7c each, 12 for 70c.



Tuberose Double Excelsion



Begonias Tuberous Rooted Unexcelled for summer beds and borders. When fully exposed to the sun the beds must be kept moist. Single Sorts Mixed. Each 25c, 4 for 90c. Double Sorts Mixed, each 25c, 4 for 90c.

Oxalis

Summer Flowering These use plants are useful little very ef-

fective in masses or fective in masses or beds and are particular-ly valuable for edgings. They produce an un-broken row of foliage about one foot high and continuous bloom. White, red, pink, mixed. Doz. 20c, 100 for \$1.00.



Pearl This is a beautiful wax-like sweet-scented, double, white flower, growing on stems about 3 feet high, each stem bearing about a dozen or more flowers. In cold latitudes plant bulbs in small boxes or 5-inch flower pots in rich earth, keep in a warm place in the house; water sparingly until it starts; when budding water freely; when weather has become warm remove to open ground, sink pot in earth. Large Double Flowered Bulbs, 8c each, 12 for 65c.



Caladium or Elephant's Ear

Caladium Esculentum One of the finest tropical foliage plants which can be grown in the open ground. Magnificent showy and grand plants. Bulbs, each 15c, three for 40c.

# **Hardy Lilies**

Auratum The Golden-Rayed Lily of Japan: 3 to 5 feet high. Its deliciously fragrant flowers are nearly a foot wide when fully expanded and are produced in profusion. The colors and markings of this magnificent lily surpass all others. The flowers are pure white, spotted with chocolate crimson, and each petal banded with golden yellow. Each 25c, 3 for 65c.

Speciosum Roseum

The flower has a pure white ground, stained and spotted with rose, resembling Speciosum Album except in color. It thrives excellently in our climate. 25c each, 3 for 65c.

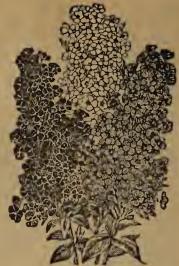
Superbum
Runs from 3 to 6 feet in height, its nodding crests adding to the general brilliance of July, with from five to forty handsome orange-red blooms. 20c each, 3 for 50c.

Golden-Banded Lily of Japan. lily, of stately habit, bearing lovely (Auratum Lily.)

Orange red flowers, spotted with black.

25c each, 3 for 65c.

Ismene Calentha Grandiflora Related to amaryllis; ers snowy white and of novel form. Buds bloom quickly. A superior pot plant or grant for planting in the open ground. Not hardy. 30c each.



### Perennial Hardy Phlox

Absolutely proof against frost, becoming more beautiful each year. These phloxes attain a height of 2 or 3 feet, and their floral trusses are of noble proportions. Four varieties: White, pink, rose shaded, violet and scarlet. Either variety, 25c each.



# **Hardy Clematis**

The most popular climbing plant of the day, and is constantly growing in popularity, is hardy, standing our most severe winters with but slight protection, grows rapidly and blooms

Jackmanii Most magnificent and showy vine in existence; of strong, healthy growth, perfectly hardy and sure to succeed anywhere. Flowers four to six inches in diameter, of a rich, deep, velvety purple, distinctly veined. It is a prince among all hardy flowering vines. It is especially adapted to open lawns or house fronts in the city or country; blooms the entire season, from July to October, bearing beautiful and lasting flowers. Large, strong plants, each \$1.00.

Paniculata
This small-flowered variety of Clematis is one of our most beautiful, hardy, fall-blooming vines. The flowers which are pure snow-white, are produced in immense clusters, fairly covering the plant with a mass of fleecy white. They have a delicious fragrance. The plant is of extreme rapidity of growth. Large extra strong plants, 40c each.



ISMENE CALENTHA GRANDIFLORA. LILY





The Regal Lily

The Regal Lily (Lilium Regale.) A beautiful from China. The exquisitely perfumed flowers are white, slightly suffused with pink; with a beautiful glow of canary yellow at center, which continues part way up the trumpet. In the garden it commences to bloom in June, with the main crop in July. Hardier than most kinds. 20c each, 3 for 55c, Doz. \$2.00.

Lilium Umbellatum

garden Lilies; strong sturdy habit, growing from 2 to 3 feet high, having large, showy flowers. Colors range from deepest red through all shades of crimson rose, yellow, buff and apricot. They are of easy culture. Splendid bulbs. Each 30c, 3 for 80c.

## **Paeony Roots**

Perfectly hardy showy plants, bush-like in growth with great flowers almost rivaling the rose in color and perfection of bloom. They are deeply and pleasantly fragrant. The plants should have good soil, but require little or no care from year to year, though well repaying an annual application of rotted manure. The Paeony is well adapted for grouping with shrubbery or for separate planting on lawn or in garden. Always found in old-fashioned gardens.

Sarah Bernhardt A superb compact, semi-rose type. Mauve rose, tipped silver, fragrant, erect and tall. Each 60c, 3 for \$1.60.

Mons. Jules Elie (Medium, Midseason). Probably the largest of all. Lilac Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00.

Avalanche (Tall, Midseason). Very large, well-formed, creamy white flowers of superb size. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Festiva Maxima (Tall, Early). The most popular of all white varieties.

Center flecked crimson. Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Felix Crousse (Medium, Midseason). Large globular flowers of a rich, brilliant, Each 35c, 3 for 90c.

Karl Rosenfield (Tall, Midsea-round, dark crimson flowers of a strik-ingly rich color. Each 45c, 3 for \$1.20.

## Un-named Sorts

Double White. Divided roots. Each 25c. Double Pink. Divided roots. Each 25c. Double Red. Divided roots. Each 25c.

Coupland, Tex., March 3, 1934.

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Alneer Brothers,
Rockford, Ill.
Dear Slr:
We have been trading with you for the last 20 years and have enjoyed your service very much. We hope you will keep serving us in the future as you have in the past.

O. F. K.



## IRIS

Hardy Mixed Sorts

A good old flower, handsome and as many hues as some of our finest orchids. Perfectly hardy. They bloom in May and June, when there is always a scarcity of flowers. Plant three inches deep. Mixed colors 20c each, 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## Japanese Iris. Kaempferi

Leaves of Japanese Iris are narrow in place of broad; their flowers are of different shape and are produced after the German Iris has passed away, continuing in bloom for several weeks. They are among the most beautiful summer blooming plants. Assorted colors, 20c each, 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

# FLOWER PLANTS—HOUSE AND BEDDING

The following plants are grown expressly for our shipping trade, and are stocky, vigorous, well rooted plants sure to give satisfaction if properly cared for. Our plants are grown in small pots and thoroughly exposed to light and air, so as to insure a hardy, stocky plant, with plenty of roots. We will send prepaid by mail at prices quoted. We book plant orders and ship plants in spring as soon as safe from frost.

Plants by Mail. We prepay charges on all plants sent by mail. If wanted by express they are shipped at purchaser's expense.

Our Flower Plants this year are better than ever before. Many new and rare sorts have been added.



Abutilon Flow-ering Maple, 25c Each. Hardy greenhouse shrubs admirable for shrups admirable for house culture or bedding out, as they bloom almost the entire year.

Eclipse S c a relet and orange flowers.

Souvenir de

Souvenir de Bonn Foliage variegated, bright orange red flowers.

S n o w Storm
White.
Indian Chief

Bright Crimson. Shower of Gold

Yellow, always in bloom.



Double White Pretty plants for vases or baskets, with fragrant flowers.

AGERATUM, 15c Each

Very useful plants for bedding, as they bloom all summer long.

Princess Pauline Blue flowers.



REX BEGONIAS, 40c Each

Of these very desirable pot plant we grow about a dozen of the very choicest varieties.



## BEGONIAS—Shrubbery Flowering Varieties, 25c Each

We sell no class of plants that gives better satisfaction than these. They are of easy culture, rapid growers and free bloomers, requiring very little sun. They delight in light porous soil.

Rubra New. Dark green leaves, flowers scarlet, immense clusters, continuous bloomer.

Argentea Guttata Purplish bronze leaved, dotted

SEMPERFLORENS BEGONIAS, 25c Each

Lunminosa Bright scarlet. Red foliage.

Erfordia Rosy carmine.



Aster Plants—40c dozen Fine, large strong plants, grown from our Perfection Double Mixed Seed. Per dozen, 40c.

## Asparagus—Plumosus Nanus

One of the handsomest of our foliage plants for pot culture, beautiful the year round, and there is no more decorative plant in the entire list. Easily grown, even in a north window. Leaves are bright green, gracefully arched, as finely woven as the finest silken mesh; their lasting qualities when cut are remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks. Each, 20c.



Artillery Plant (Pilea Muscosa) 25c Each Graceful fern-like foliage and immense numbers of very small flowers, which produce a snapping sound when sprinkled.



Achillea "The Pearl" Pure white flowers borne in the greatest profusion the entire summer, on strong, erect stems, 2 feet high; as a summer cut flower it is of great value. 25c each.

Browallia-25ceach

"Gigantea" S i n g l e flowers of deep indigo blue, fully two inches in diameter, blooming continually and completely enveloping the plant. Either for beds or pot plants; also useful to get blue into porch boxes and baskets. This is without doubt the most prolific and darkest colored of any s u m m e r flowering blue bedder. bedder.

Asparagus (Sprengeri) A splendid new plant for hanging baskets or pots. It droops most naturally, sending out numerous feathery fronds which in a short time make a growth of 3 to 6 feet, forming an exquisitely handsome and striking picture. striking picture. each.



Chrysanthemums, 15c each, \$1.50 dozen The Chrysanthemums, owing to their easy culture, gorgeousness of color and free flowering qualities, are very popular.

## PINK "MUMS"

Chieftain The most popular pink; good in every way.

Mrs. E. A. Seidewitz Late.

Patty A beautiful shell-pink Japanese va-riety, dwarf habit. This is very fine, both in color and habit; does not fade.

## WHITE "MUMS"

Advance The earliest flowering large white; has been had in bloom in July.

White Chieftain Beautiful incurving white.

White Chadwick (M) A very broad va-riety, with incurved petals of white, slightly tinted blush.

## RED "MUMS"

Harvard Late.

## YELLOW "MUMS"

Richmond Bright golden yellow.

Golden Queen First fine yellow, in-

Golden Chadwick (L) One of the very color and perfectly formed. Late.



Calla Lilv

## Calla Lilies 20c Each.

Large, fine, strong plants. This popular house plant will prosper under almost any circumstances.

## Lily of the Nile

White calla.

## Spotted Calla or Richardia

Flowers same as above only smaller in size; foliage green, spotted white.



**CARNATIONS** 

15c Each, \$1.50 per dozen

## White Enchantress

Enchantress light pink, which does not bleach and is not liable

Ward One of the very good deep pink sorts, of attractive size and form, very free blooming and strongly scented.

Edna A splendid new carnation. One of the finest scarlet varieties.

## **CYCLAMEN**

Persicum, 30c each A beautiful dow, giving more blossoms for less than any other plant.

## **BEST CANNAS**

Started Plants, 15 cents each, \$1.50 dozen

King Humbert The color is a rich shade of orange scarlet, and the giant flowers are borne well above the magnificent bronze leaves.

Queen Charlotte Most liant and dazzling crimson, encírcled with golden yellow. Foliage green.

## Martha Washington

Pure rose pink. A good bloomer, large trusses, green foliage.

Crimson Bedder Red.

Burbank Yellow with scarlet throat.

## Florence Vaughan

Green foliage, large yellow flowers dotted with red.

Hungaria A magnificent pink Canna widely used for large solid beds. The petals are large and waxy, made up into big round, full trusses.



### Whitmanii, New Ostrich or

Plume A new type of the plume or feather fern. Dwarf and more compact in growth than the Elegantissima with the pinnae still more deeply divided, giving the plant a feathery daintiness. 30c each.

Scotti short bushy fine pot fern, 30c.

Piersonii fringed, 30c.

Boston or Sword—30c

## FEVERFEW, 15c each

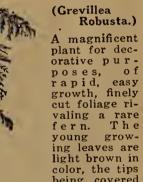
double pure white. This is one of the most popular free Little Gem flowering plants.



GREVILLEA OR SILK OAK

## PLANT FOOD FOR FLOWERS

fertilizer made especially for plants grown in house; large box containing sufficient for 20 plants for one year, postpaid, 40c, ½ size box, 25c, postpaid.



light brown in color, the tips being covered with a soft down, closely resembling raw silk, hence the name "Silk Oak." Price, nice plants, 25c each.

Australian Silk Oak

# Double Fuchsias, 15c each, dozen



Storm King A new superb Fuchsia of extraordinary qualities. It is of somewhat drooping habit with enormous double white flowers. For winter blooming it cannot be surpassed. By mail, 20c each, dozen, \$1.75.

Phenomenal This is the largest Fuchsia grown, red tube and sepals, immense bright violet corolla.

Single Fuchsias 20c each, dozen, \$1.75. Elegant flowering of hardy, rapid growth. The Fuchsia is a universal favorite.

Corolla, a reddish rose; sepals, carmine. Black Prince

Speciosa Well known variety, producing large flowers, two inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are blush, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety grown in eight or nine inch pots will produce from 300 to 500 flowers from December to May.



Paris Daisy or Marguerite, 20c

Madam Gailbert, white



Dwarf French Canna.

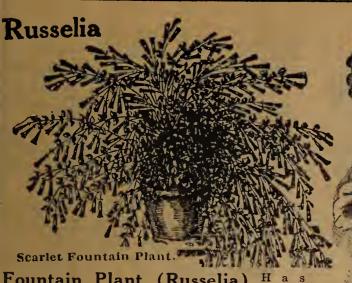


Coleus

Coleus 15c each, \$1.50 doz. Very fine bedding or pot plants of rapid growth and easy culture; including all choice shades of colors.



Dracaena Indivisa This plant is used very extensively as a center plant for vases, porch and window boxes, etc. It stands full exposure to the sun, and its long, narrow, graceful foliage contrasts beautifully with other plants. 25c each.



Fountain Plant (Russelia) H a s long, wiry, leafless stems, drooping and bearing quantities of long tubular blooms of the most vivid scarlet color. Blooms almost incessantly as a pot plant. The great drooping masses of bloom are like a fountain of coral, scarlet and green. 25c each.



## Hydrangea 30c each

These are very desirable decorative plants; produce large heads of bloom in great profusion.

Mme E. Mouillere the favorite white. E. G. Hill best pink.

Otaksa

deep rose pink.

Hills of Snow deep red, 35c each.

hardy, opening to full white and changing to



## Hibiscus, 30c each

Peach Blow A rapid erect grower, immense double flowers of a bright rich pink, with crimson center, very fragrant. Leaves of a bright glossy green color; a most magnificent house plant.

Versicolor Bright red, large single flowers, striped with white; very strik-



## **GERANIUMS**

We have improved our list of Geraniums by adding several new and valuable varieties so that the list we now offer is as nearly complete as can be had.

Double Geraniums 15c each, dozen \$1.50.

Duchesse de Montmort brilliant purple

Jean Viaud new rosy, with white center.

Gloede fine pink.

La France white.

Frances Perkins bright pink.

James Vick salmon, very large.

S. A. Nut very dark crimson.

Alphonse Ricard brilliant orange red, fine bedder. Gilded Gold deep orange red.

## SPECIAL OFFER

12 PLANTS Geraniums, Double and Single, for only \$1.50

Whitesboro, Tex.
P. S. I want to say the flowers and bulbs I got from you last year were fine every one lived and bloomed. So I am trying the garden this year.

MRS. A. L. PRICE.

## VARIEGATED GERANIUMS 30c each

Happy Thought yellow center, green edge.

Madame Salleroi bright green, silver edge. 15c. Scented Geraniums 20c each

Skeleton Rose Leaf.

IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS 20c each

Chas. Turner pink. Caesar Franck dark red. Joan of Arc white.

# PELARGONIUMS OR LADY WASHINGTON PANSY

Easter Greetings Florets fiery amaranth red, with five large regular shaped spots. 30c.

Gardener's Joy The ground color is apple-blossom pink, the two upper petals have blotches of carbon brown, the florets are three and one-half inches in diameter and are joined to enormous clusters which rise above the beautiful foliage and reminds one of a Rhododendron cluster. 30c.

Glory This splendid novelty is quite remontant, florets and cluster very large; ground color, cattleya-blue, very much like the cattleya-orchid. The upper petals contain two large purple magenta-red spots, distinctly veined. 30c.

Lucy Becker This grand novelty is a sport of Easter Greeting, and is like it in everything but color, which is a rosy-pink. 30c.

## Impatiens Sultana, 20c each

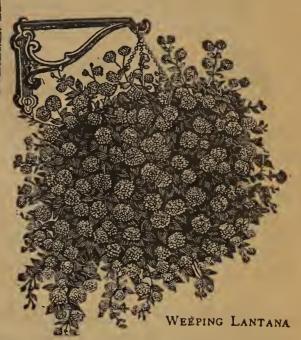
Beautiful plants, either as winter flowering or summer bedding. Brilliant, rosy scarlet flowers always in bloom.

Ivy, 20c each

English, plain.

German, a fast growing sort.

Boston hardy, will cling to house and stone walls.



## LANTANAS, 20c each

Weeping

A beautiful trailing variety, very desirable for planting in hanging baskets, vases, pots or open ground. Bears an immense profusion of lovely clear pink flowers from early summer until late in the fall.

Comtesse de Biencourt pink.

Alba Perfecta pure white.

La Plute d'Or golden yellow.

M. Schmidt Red, Orange and yellow. Probably more of this variety is used than any other; it is a superior sort.



## The Beautiful Manettia Vine

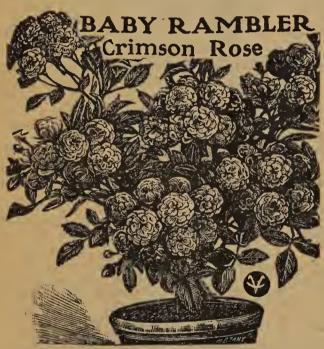
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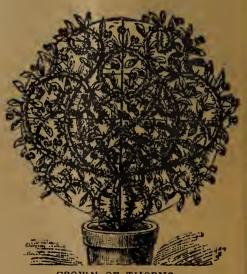
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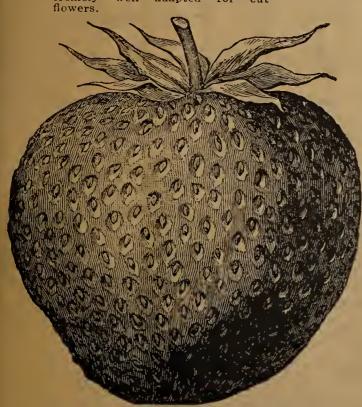
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